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POPE

Appeals to the Washington Government to Protect the Catholics at Manila.

UNCLE SAM'S REPLY TO SPAIN GIVEN OUT TO-DAY

The Same as Published Last Week—Watson's Fleet is Ready to Sailat a Moment's Notice—Over Three Thousand of Shafter's Army Down With Fever and Over 4,000 Sick.

Special to the News:

Washington, Aug. 2.—After the cabinet meeting to-day the note to Spain was given out the same as was published last week, demanding the cession of Cuba, Porto Rico, a joint commission to settle the Philippine question and no indemnity. General Wade and his staff arrived this morning to consult about Porto Rico. The Pope has appealed to the Washington government to protect the Catholics at Manila: General Merritt has been so instructed. Captain Crownshield says Watson's fleet is ready to sail and only waits the word from the president. The Brooklyn will go. General Shafter reports under the date of July 29th that there were 4164 sick; 3212 of whom have fever. New cases, 609; restored from fever, 792; deaths, 11.

UNCLE SAM

Does not Look With Favor on Action of Spanish Cabinet in Delaying the Reply.

Special to The News.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The Cabinet is in session again to-day. The administration is not looking with favor on the action of the Spanish cabinet in delaying the reply. It is possible the note to Spain containing the demands of the United States will be given out to-day after the meeting of the cabinet.

BISMARCK'S REMAINS.

They Will Be Interred at a Spot Selected by Himself, Where a Simple Mausoleum Will Be Built.

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—Dr. Schweninger, Prince Bismarck's physician, now says that the immediate cause of death was effusion of blood on the brain.

The remains of the great chancellor have been dressed in the uniform of the Halberstadt cuirassiers.

An enormous number of wreaths and other floral tributes have already arrived at Friedrichsruhe. So strict is the exclusion at the Schloss that Count Posadowski, the minister of the interior, had to wait 20 minutes before he was admitted.

A dispatch from Friedrichsruhe to the Hamburg Nachrichten says it has been definitely decided that the remains of Prince Bismarck are to be interred at the spot selected by himself, where a simple mauseolum will be built and to which the remains of his wife will be transferred from Varzin. Until the mauseolum is completed the funeral rites will be confined to the simple ceremony of blessing the remains, which will be performed by the local pastor of the village of Brunstorf.

Prince Bismarck's final written instructions, signed by himself, express his desire to be buried in a selected spot in the Sachsenwald, and conclude: "For an epitaph, I wish 'Prince Von Bismarck, born April 1, 1815, died—,' with the addition of 'A faithful German servant of Emperor William First.'"

The ceremony of blessing Prince Bismarck's remains was performed Tuesday, only the near relatives attending. The coffin was then closed and will remain until the mauseolum is completed which will be in October next.

BASEBALL.

The Philadelphias Defeat Cleveland—Boston and St. Louis Split Even—Other Games Not Scheduled.

Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	1

Batteries—Wilson and O'Connor: Platt and McFarland. Umpires—Lynch and Andrews.

First Game.

Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	9	3
St. Louis	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	3

Batteries—Lewis and Bergen; Taylor and Clements. Umpires—O'Day and McDonald.

Second Game.

Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1
St. Louis	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	*	3	8	0

Batteries—Hickman and Bergen; Hughey and Clements. Umpires—O'Day and McDonald.

AN EXTRA SESSION.

It is Said Congress Will Convened as Soon as Spain Accepts Our Terms of Peace.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The Post Tuesday morning says:

President McKinley will call an extra session of both houses of congress as soon as Spain accepts the terms of peace offered by the United States.

It has always been understood that the senate would be convened as soon as the treaty of peace was ready to be acted upon by that body. The attention of the president has been called, however, to a situation which makes the assembling of the entire congress necessary. This situation can be explained in a few words. Under the law which provides for the raising of the volunteer army, that army goes out of existence as soon as the war ceases.

When this law was framed it was not for a moment supposed that after the war had ended there would not be any necessity of keeping the army intact. The developments of the war make it very evident that instead of sending the army back to civil life fully 100,000 men will continue to be needed. In addition, laws must be passed to meet the new requirements of government in the Philippines and Porto Rico.

Cruiser Columbia Ashore.

PONCE, Porto Rico, July 31, via St. Thomas, Aug. 2.—The protected cruiser Columbia went ashore while attempting to enter the harbor of Ponce, but it is expected she will be floated tomorrow. Gen. Brooke arrived this morning. During the afternoon some of the regular 19th infantry arrived on the Cherokee. Cable communication was opened to-night, but the line will not be in full operation for several days.

A Momentous Conference.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Secretary Alger and Secretary Long are in conference with the president over the serious situation in the Philippines. They have important dispatches from Gen. Merritt and Adm. Dewey. Secretary Alger admitted the significance of these dispatches, but declined to state their exact nature.

Colombia Will Pay the Debt.

COLON, Colombia, Aug. 2.—The Cerruti affair, according to official dispatches, promises an early settlement. The awards of President Cleveland to Italy will be paid in full.

PHILIPPINES.

Gen. Merritt Cables That the Situation There is Most Critical and Perplexing.

THE ATTITUDE OF THE INSURGENTS

They Are Clamoring to Enter and Possess Themselves of the City of Manila.

Gen. Merritt About to Join with Adm. Dewey in a Demand for the Surrender of the City, and This Move May Cause Trouble.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Gen. Merritt has again cabled the war department relative to the situation in Manila, which he finds very unsatisfactory and dangerous, owing to the attitude of the insurgents. In the opinion of Gen. Merritt the attitude of the insurgents there is similar to that assumed by Garcia's Cubans upon the question of their right to enter and possess themselves of the city, although in this case the insurgents are a very much more formidable element, being not only more numerous, but better armed and filled with the arrogance following numerous victories over their Spanish foes. Gen. Merritt, however, indicates that he will do his utmost to protect the citizens from the savagery of the insurgents, though his task is a delicate and difficult one because of the fact that he must, while fighting the Spaniards, be ready at any moment to repel the insurgents.

The general gave notice that he was about to combine with Adm. Dewey in a joint demand for the surrender of the city to the United States forces, thus forestalling the insurgents, and this move may cause a rupture. It is possible, in view of the fact that Gen. Merritt's cablegram was sent from Cavite last Thursday, that this movement has been made already by the combined American military and naval force, although there is some doubt about this on account of a statement from Merritt that he may need all of his soldiers before attacking. Still, it is possible the demand might be made without being immediately followed by attack, which might be deferred until all the troops have reached Cavite. Up to the date of the report Gen. Merritt had with him about 12,000 soldiers. So far seven expeditions have left San Francisco carrying soldiers to the Philippines, and it is the intention to furnish Merritt at least 8,000 men more than his present force. If he delays his attack until all these have reached him Manila will not be taken in that way before September, for the last of the troops have not yet started from San Francisco. It may be however, that the arrangements as to the Philippines which it is expected will be included in the peace treaty, will obviate the necessity for further action on the part of the American commanders.

Adm. Dewey has received word from Capt. Gen. Augusti that he is willing to surrender so soon as he can do so honorably. It is believed that he will only make a show of resistance. Dewey expects to take the city without losing a single man. Should Dewey and Merritt begin the attack, Augusti will propose to capitulate on these terms: The Spanish troops to march out with the honors of war; the soldiers and officials to be permitted to return on parole to Spain and an assurance to be given that the lives and property of Spaniards will be protected from naval attack.

The Spanish officer who reported in Manila the destruction of Adm. Cervera's squadron, was treated as a traitor and threatened with death. While riding near Malate the other day Gen. Anderson narrowly escaped being shot by the enemy.

Martin Thorn Electrocuted.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Martin Thorn was put to death in the prison at Sing Sing at 11:17 Monday morning for the murder of William Guldensuppe. The condemned man received the last sacraments of the Roman Catholic church. When summoned to the execution chair Thorn showed no emotion and walked to it quietly, repeating prayers after the attending priest. There was no untoward incident in connection with the execution, and after the current had been turned on 55 seconds, Thorn was dead.

WEALTHY NEW YORKER

Committed Suicide This Morning by Jumping From the Tenth Story of a Hotel.

Special to The News:

New York, Aug. 2.—Geo. Todd, a wealthy resident, suicided to-day by jumping from the tenth story of the Hotel Majestic.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Monday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $254,844,215; gold reserve, $189,444,714.

Surgeon General Sternberg of the army has recommended to Secretary Alger that the troops now at Camp Alger, Va., be removed at an early day to some other location more healthy than that they now occupy.

Col. P. H. Ray, commanding the 3d regiment, United States volunteers, which has been organized at Macon, Ga., received orders late Monday afternoon to be prepared to move on a days notice for Santiago de Cuba.

Hart H. North, commissioner of immigration at San Francisco, has received instructions from Washington to treat all immigrants from Hawaii as alien immigrants until such time as laws can be perfected to govern them.

The Spanish minister for foreign affairs, Duke Almodovar de Rio, has received a telegram from Paris, saying that the reply of the United States to the Spanish note on the subject of peace will be forwarded to Madrid immediately.

An order has been issued commanding that all the flags on German war ships be halfmasted on the day of Prince Bismarck's funeral, that a salute of 19 guns be fired at noon and that all the naval officers and officials wear mourning for a week.

The United States cruiser Yale, Capt. Wise, arrived at New York Monday from Guanica, Porto Rico. The Yale carried Gen. Miles and staff and about 1,500 troops from Guantanamo, Cuba, and landed them at Porto Rico, and then proceeded without delay for New York.

Homer, Codding & Co., of Boston, who are among the largest boot and shoe dealers in New England, assigned late Monday afternoon to Charles W. Lavers, president of the National Shoe and Leather exchange, of Boston. The liabilities are estimated at $500,000.

Prince Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, who is at the Bristol hotel, Berlin, hoisted his flag at half mast in recognition of Bismarck's death, and the flags at the American embassy, Ambassador White's residence and many hotels and private buildings offered similar marks of respect.

At Tampa, Fla., the transport Yucatan was reported from quarantine Monday. She has on board several army officers. A large quantity of artillery is being loaded on the Arkansas under direction of Gen. Rodgers and it is expected that the boat will sail Tuesday for Porto Rico.

In a statement issued Monday night over his signature, Bob Fitzsimmons, champion heavy weight pugilist of the world, announces that he has posted a forfeit of $2,500 with the sporting editor of a New York newspaper for a fight with Jim Jeffries, of California, the contest to occur before October 1.

Letters received in Hong Kong from Cavite, dated July 29th, say Gen. Merritt is completing his preparations to attack Manila, and that, otherwise, there is nothing doing. The blockade is strictly maintained, and no date has been fixed for the attack, though it probably will be made as soon as the remaining American troops arrive.

Maj. Gen. Joseph C. Breckinridge, who is to succeed Maj. Gen. Wade in command of the troops at Chickamauga, left Wednesday for the latter place. Accompanying him were his aides-de-camp as follows: Capt. J. T. Dickman, 8th cavalry; Lieut. S. M. Foote, 4th artillery, and Lieut. Desha Breckinridge, 3d volunteer engineers.

Proclamations have been issued by the authorities of Yauco, Porto Rico, as a United States city, expressing delight at annexation and the administration of Gen. Miles and welcoming our troops. The mayor of Ponce has called upon all the residents of that place to exercise calmness and circumspection under the new and desirable conditions. He also urges forbearance toward conquered enemies.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 1.

FLOUR—New spring patent, $4.50@5.25; spring fancy, $4.10@4.35; spring family, $3.50@4.00; winter patent, $3.80@4.15; fancy, $3.40@3.70; family, $3.00@3.25; extra, $2.80@3.00; low grade, $2.4.@2.65; rye, northwestern, $2.75@3.00; do city, $2.75@3.00.

WHEAT—Sales; No. 2 red, track, 67c.

CORN—Sales; No. 2 mixed, track, 35½c; yellow ear, track, 37c; mixed ear, to arrive, 37c.

OATS—Sales: No. 3 white, new, track, 25c; No. 2 white, old, track, 29c; No. 3 mixed, new, track, 23c; No. 2 mixed, new, track, 24c; do, old, track, 26c; do, choice, 27½c.

HOGS—Select, butchers', $4.05@4.10; fair to good packers', $4.00@4.05; fair to good light, $3.80@4.00; common and roughs, $3.30@3.90.

CATTLE—Fair to good shippers', $4.50@4.85; good to choice butchers', $4.35@4.75; fair to medium butchers', $3.40@4.25; common, $2.85@3.25.

SHEEP—Extras, $3.85@4.00; good to choice, $3.25@3.75; common to fair, $2.25@3.15.

LAMBS—Extras, $6.15@6.30; good to choice, $5.25@6.10; common to fair, $4.75@5.00.

VEAL CALVES—Fair to good light, $5.75@6.00; common and large, $3.50@5.50.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.

WHEAT—August, 65½c.; September, 64⅝@64¾c.; December, 64½c.; May, 66⅝c.

CORN—August, 33½c.; September, 33¾c.; December, 34c.; May, 36⅛@36¼c.

OATS—August, 21½c.; September, 20⅞c.; May, 23½@23⅝c.

BARLEY—Cash No. 3, 31@38c.

RYE—August, 42½c.; September, 41.6.

PEACE OR WAR?

All Eyes Are Turned to Madrid for the Answer to This Question—The Meeting at the

HOUSE—THE PRESIDENT SATISFIED THAT MR. CAMBON

Had Full Power to Represent Spanish Government—It Is Thought That the Terms of Peace Will Be Considered by the Sagasta Cabinet Tuesday.

Special to The News:

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—All eyes are turned toward Madrid for it is realized that upon the Spanish cabinet depended the restoration of peace. It was announced here in a quarter that removed the information from any question of accuracy that the decision of the Spanish government was not to be submitted before Tuesday at the earliest. In the absence of any new phase in the negotiations here Monday, speculation naturally turned backward toward the remarkable meeting at the white house Sunday and great interest was manifested in every particular respecting that event. A disposition was shown in some quarters to question the authority of the French ambassador to act as he did, representing Spain. But it can be ... technical point that regardless of any technical point that regardless of signed, sealed and delivered credentials, which of course could not reach here in the little time at hand, that the president regarded M. Cambon as fully qualified to act as a representative of the Spanish government in the negotiations, subject of course as are almost all ministers or ambassadors in these days, to the reference of the work accomplished by them to the government they represent for final approval. M. Cambon made it so clear that he had been fully instructed on every point likely to rise in the negotiations that the president was satisfied that by accepting him as the representative of Spain in this matter a vast saving of time would be affected, and a point of the utmost importance, that the negotiations would be technically conducted without the interposition of any neutral government. However, any question that might have arisen as to the powers of the French ambassador was set at rest by a short, guarded and concise statement issued Monday from the embassy itself. Then discussion turned on the nature of the change made at the instance of M. Cambon in the list of American demands. It was contended in some quarters that no change had been made, in others that an important modification had developed. As a matter of fact, as to the importance of this change, there is a difference of opinion between the parties, the administration looking upon it as inconsequential, while M. Cambon attaches importance to it.

However as this may be, as the administration believes that the change is not essential and that it certainly does not affect the principle of the document, it might be well to recapitulate briefly just what the demands of the United States were. As to Cuba, it is demanded that Spain is to release her government possession and control. It will be noticed that nothing is said of Cuban independence and that the acceptance of this position leaves the United States free to deal with the island as it may deem best.

Porto Rico, with the small islands adjacent and embraced within its jurisdiction, is to be ceded unconditionally to the United States.

One of the Ladrone islands likewise is to be ceded to the United States as a coaling station.

These three conditions being granted by Spain, are to be taken as part. What is in lieu of the full indemnity required is to be payment shall be required is to be payment shall be a commission having authority by a commission having authority by the president, subject to his approval. Whether Spain shall retain possession of the Philippines as a whole or in part, is left to that commission to determine. The reason for deferring the decision as to the future of the islands in this fashion is because the administration is not yet satified itself; it is not clear at this moment what sound policy should dictate in the matter.

Meanwhile and until the commission has satisfactorily disposed of the future of the islands the United States is to exercise a military government over Manila harbor and bay. The commission will be actually a peace commission and will prepare the treaty which will terminate formally the war with Spain. However a suspension of hostilities may be sooner declared when the Spanish government shall definitely accept the conditions above laid down and renounce its authority over Cuba and Porto Rico.

MADRID, Aug. 2.—The cabinet council sat Monday afternoon and again for four hours Monday evening, discussing the peace terms. A dispatch was sent to Washington for "further explanation of some difficult points." When the replies are received the cabinet will reassemble. Senor Sagasta, the premier, confirms that "some modifications of the original terms have been obtained."

MERRITT

Telegraphs General Merriam at San Francisco for From Twenty to Fifty Thousand Troops.

Special to The News.

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—In reply to a dispatch received here to-day from General Merritt at Cavite, General Merriam stated that since the departure of General Merritt, five transports with four thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven men have sailed from this port. Scarcely had the message been sent before General Merriam received word that General Merritt had asked for from twenty to fifty thousand troops. The call says steamer Doric, which came in late last night brought word of the arrival at Honolulu of the fourth Manila expedition. The Doric left Honolulu last Monday. The troops were given a royal reception at Honolulu.

ALL MESSAGES

To Porto Rico by Way of San Juan are Subjected to Spanish Censorship.

Special to The News.

New York, Aug. 2.—The cable company announces that all messages to Porto Rico by way of San Juan are subjects to Spanish censorship. The cable at Ponce is in the hands of the American government and no messages will be received for points on the island outside of Ponce.

AMERICAN TROOPS

Reach Coamo on Their Way to San Juan—They Met With no Resistance.

Special to The News.

Washington, Aug. 2.—A delayed cablegram says our troops reached Coamo, sixty miles north-east of Ponce, on the road to San Juan, and that they met with no resistance.

Juan Diaz Captured.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A dispatch from Ponce, Puerto Rico, dated July 30, says: The 16th Pennsylvania regiment was sent this morning toward Juan Diaz, eight miles northeast of Ponce, en route to San Juan, where it is reported the Spaniards will make a stand. The first real resistance is expected when our troops shall reach Albonito, 35 miles northeast of here. Juan Diaz has since been captured without a struggle.

The Public Debt.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business July 30, 1898, the debt less cash in the treasury amounted to $978,681,030, a decrease for the month of $49,664,486. Independent of the cash the statement shows an increase in the debt of $18,... 159. The cash in the treasury decreased during the month by over $49,000,000, principally from receipts on account of the new war loan.

Re-Elected Governor of Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 2.—Joseph F. Johnson, democrat, was re-elected governor of Alabama Monday. Unofficial returns from 60 counties indicate a democratic majority for the state ticket of 55,000. The chairman of ... committee claims ...

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The most popular bicycle saddle is oftenest sat upon.

A poker-playing doctor expects $2 every time he is called.

The gas-meter has more feet than any other animate thing.

Many a poor man finds it harder to get drunk than to stay sober.

Kissing may be unhealthy, but every girl considers herself an immune.

The '98 model hammock is large enough for one and strong enough for two.

An old bachelor declares that even the sweet girl graduate will ferment in time.

The most unnatural thing in this world is a woman laughing through a telephone.

When some people ask for time to think we wonder what they are going to think with.

When it comes to getting something for nothing the nickel-in-the-slot machine isn't so slow.

Everybody is talking war now: even deaf and dumb people have the latest news at their fingers' ends.

Last words of the last Spaniard—"Spanish honor must be vindicated. We were never in better condition to fight than now."

We trust that no purchaser of beer under the new tax will consider it necessary to make his stomach a government bond-holder.

The prudence which induced Joseph Leiter to provide himself with a rich father, for use in case of emer[illegible] cannot be too highly [illegible] the heroes of the Mer[illegible]

To issue Senate's vote of thanks to Lieut. Hobson was a deed worthy of a republic. It detracts nothing from our recognition of intelligent leadership, to reassert that the strength of a nation is in the manhood that never hesitates to follow.

The question, asked these many years and in tones more or less musical, "What are the wild waves saying?" may be near a satisfactory reply. The manufacture of paper from seaweed is said to be a growing industry in France. The seaweed will doubtless reveal the whisperings and thunderings of the ocean it has heard to writers who use the paper.

Two boys, aged nine and ten years, nearly succeeded the other day in throwing a train off the rails near London. Subsequently the police caught the boys, who confessed that they found the idea and all the details of operation in a penny magazine circulated surreptitiously among boys of their age. "We knew some hero like Lord Hildegarde would spring forth to the rescue," exclaimed the smaller boy, "and we wanted to see him." Decidedly the vicious story paper is a power in the land.

Reciprocity seems to be the order of the day, in language as well as in commerce. For years there has been an incursion, or adoption, of French words and phrases into English speech. Now there is a similar incorporation of English expressions into the current speech and literature of France. While we speak of "the beau monde," Parisians speak of "le high life:" as often as we mention a "soiree" or a "matinee," they tell of "une five o'clock tea;" and when we pronounce a thing "very chic," they respond that it is indeed "tres smart." Is this an indication that the universal language of the future is to be polyglot?

Unimaginative exactness, as a dictionary defines liberalism, may not always be the highest form of truth, but as a practice would be a mental tonic to many vagrant minds. In a well-known family where the wife recently was dying, an inquiry came by telephone concerning her condition, knowing that the husband would hear the reply, and wishing to save him pain, the young girl answering the call said that the patient was about the same. A little later the speaker felt a gentle arm about her shoulder. "Your mother is not nearly so well," came the low words. "You had better call that man up and say so. Try always to tell the exact truth." A more emphatic advance comes from an old pupil of the eccentric President Finney of Oberlin. The girl was in distinctly bad health, but meeting the president one day responded to his "How are you?" with "Pretty well, I thank you." "Thus came his prompt reply, "isn't that better?"

The relations between England and Russia are becoming more amicable every year. There is no longer any prejudice in England against the sons of the Emerald Isle. Irishmen in England are everywhere respected, and their brethren in all other countries are crowding to the front in all lines of public life. The British army and navy is thickly officered by Irishmen, and nearly one half of the members of the British house of commons are of the "racing race." The house includes the members from [illegible]

WAS THE GOMORRAH OF THE WEST.

Port Royal Erased From the Earth By an Act of the Almighty.

(Kingston, Jamaica, Correspondence.)

Beneath the blue waters of the harbor of this quaint old town lies buried a city which was once the seat of wealth and profligacy and all their attendant train of evils. In one awful moment the earth gaped, the seas opened to receive the palaces of licentiousness and closed above them, and 2,000 luckless mortals. Today, when the waters of the bay are still and shining in the tropical sun, the sailors may lean over the sides of their skiffs, and, peering down through the azure depths see the fishes swimming in and out of the arches of the old cathedral, the sharks moving lazily among the great palaces, and the sea moss twining around the windows through which the music and song of the revelers were drifting when the fearful visitation came and wiped the city from the face of the earth. Two hundred years have passed since that June day when Port Royal disappeared into the sea. Three other cities builded upon its site have been destroyed by fire and hurricane and earthquake. The avenging power which descended upon the stricken city seemed to pursue it even after its thousands had found watery graves in the bay, which now shimmers so placidly except when the fearful typhoons sweep over it and lash its waters to mad revels.

It was June 7, 1692. Port Royal lay sweltering under the heat of a tropical summer. Built upon a tongue of land extended into the ocean, it was swept by breezes which brought with them little relief from the sun which filled with the sons from every port in the world, for Port Royal was a place of wealth and luxury. Great Britain's men-of-war lay in the offing with their sails furled and their men reveling ashore in the city. Spanish buccaneers, laden to the guards with stolen wealth, silks, jewels and gold, the spoil of Mexico and Central America, swung at anchor, and their dark-browed crews slept or lounged lazily about the decks while their masters joined the festivities ashore. In the houses and palaces of the city there was revelry and feasting and drinking, for the pirates of the Spanish main spent freely what they secured so easily. Gold was as common as copper is today. The toddlers in the streets, when they held out baby hands for alms to the passers-by, were rewarded with a gold piece or two.

Another Gomorrah.

Women attired in silks and laces which cost human blood in the making and the stealing lounged on luxurious divans close to the open windows of the houses and drank deep draughts with their paramours. License ran riot. There was no virtue. For years every one in the place had been growing richer and with the wealth came the desire for ease and pleasure which saps a people's strength. No one worked, for money was brought to every one in the pirate ships which roamed the seas only to capture a cargo sufficient to purchase a few weeks of pleasure and feasting and drunkenness at Port Royal. From Peru and Mexico came boat loads of gold and silken stuffs and other treasure and with the arrival of every pirate the bacchanalian revels redoubled in license and depravity. The people lounged to church, but it was only a mockery of worship. They were drunk with their prosperity and insane with their longing for the pleasures of the table and the wine cup.

On that fated day when the vengeance which overtook Sodom and Gomorrah descended upon Port Royal the [illegible] of its heights, when there came a sound like the great crack of doom, the earth trembled and the half-drunken revelers rushed from the houses in dismay. The great cathedral rocked and its tower trembled a moment, and, while the people were asking one another, white-lipped and terrified, what manner of thing was happening, the earth gaped open like a great jaw and closed with thousands in its maw, catching many half way in the frightful opening and holding them, crushed and broken, with their helpless arms extended toward the heaven they had so long forgotten. Scarce had this occurred, when, with a mighty roar, the whole city began to slide down into the ocean.

In vain the affrighted people began to flee to the high land beyond the city. They were caught and engulfed before they had taken a score of steps. Hundreds were overtaken by the rising flood as they sat at the tables with their wine half drunk, and their food half eaten, their thoughts half spoken. Praying, screaming, and blaspheming the power which had visited its wrath upon them, the harlots and pirates of the city were hurried into the ocean in the very houses in which they sat. The ships in the harbor careened and sank one by one as the great seismic disturbance continued, drawing down in their wake the terror-stricken sailors and buccaneers, who sprang overboard, and in less than five minutes all the wickedness, all the debauchery, all the sin of the profligate city were hidden forever beneath the waves.

Not long after this frightful disaster came another upon the city, which took the place of the one which slipped into the sea. Port Royal was rebuilded, not with its old splendor and magnificence, not with its former glory and luxuriousness, but as a seaport city, and in 1703, a few years after it had assumed the proportions of a city, it was entirely destroyed by fire. Again it was built up, but the avenging power was not yet sated, for a hurricane swept the greater portion of the town into the ocean in 1722. Almost a hundred years later, when the city had once more risen on its old site, it was laid in ashes once more, in 1815. Repeated destructions have left nothing of the city as it once was, but in 1880 a hurricane destructive to life and property swept over the city and once more partially destroyed it.

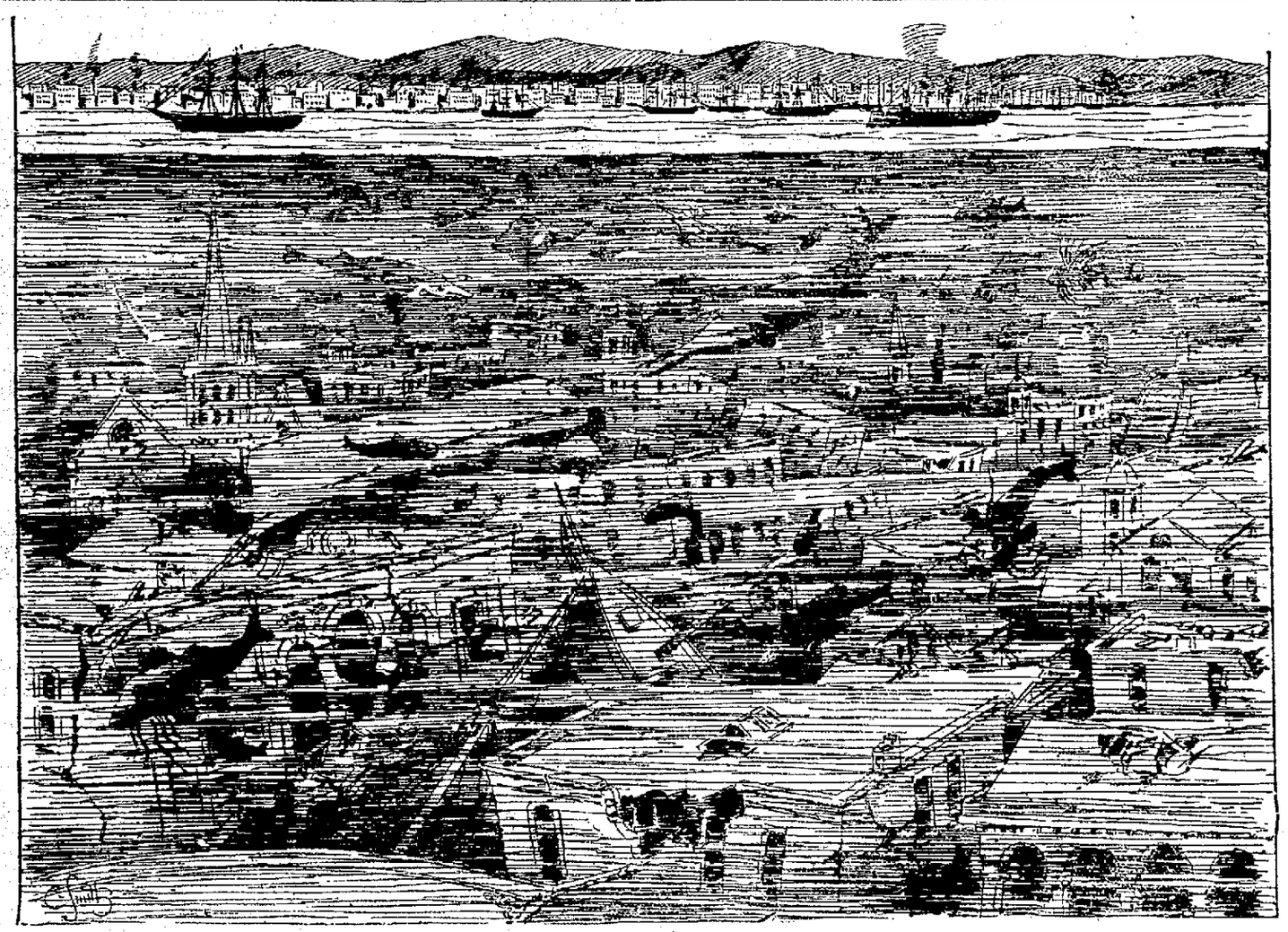
A Later Catastrophe.

In his "Annals of Jamaica," published in 1828, Rev. George Wilson Bridges quotes from a letter written by one of the survivors—a rector—two or three days after the disaster, which is, in part, as follows:

"After I had been at church reading, which I did every day since I was rector of this place, to keep up some show of religion, and was gone to a place hard by the church, where the merchants meet, and where the president of the council was, who came into my company and engaged me to take a glass of wormwood wine as a whet before dinner, he being my very good friend, I stayed with him, upon which he lighted a pipe of tobacco, which he was pretty long in taking, and not being willing to leave him before it was out, this determined me from going to dinner to one Captain Roden's, whither I was invited, whose house, upon the first concussion, sunk into the earth and then into the sea with his wife and family and some that were come to dine with him. Had I been there I would have been lost. But to return to the president and the pipe of tobacco. Before that was out I found the ground rolling and moving under my feet, upon which I said unto him: 'Lord, sir, what is that?' He replied, being a very grave man: 'It is an earthquake. Be not afraid; it will soon be over.'"

But he disappeared and was never heard of again. Continuing, the rector wrote: "I made toward Morgan's fort, because I thought to be there securest from falling houses, but as I was going I saw the earth open and swallow up a multitude of people, and the sea mounting in upon them over the fortifications. Moreover, the large and famous burying ground was destroyed and the sea washed away the carcasses. The harbor was covered with dead bodies, floating up and down."

Kingston now stands close to where Port Royal, the old town of revelry and vice, once stood. The ships in the harbor float over the houses, which slipped into the sea, and far, far below their keels lie the imprisoned people who were swept away, with vain prayers for mercy upon their lips. The spire of the cathedral is most prominent of the ruins here in the clear water, as it had raised its taper finger toward heaven, high above the other buildings. Close to it lie the fleets of Spain and England, sunk in the fearful hurricanes which swept these placid waters, with the coral fast forming on their masts and hulls. In their shadow lurk the sea monsters of these waters, playing about the doorways and casements of the houses and shops, where vice once held sway. No man has ever penetrated to the depths where the phantom city lies, to explore its secrets, two centuries old, and all that can be learned of the sunken town is gleaned by peering into the transparent waters on a bright day when the wind does not ruffle the surface of the harbor.



THIS IS PORT ROYAL, THE CITY OF SIN, SUNK FROM THE FACE OF THE EARTH BY THE ANGRY CREATOR.

STILL BOYS.

Two Sly Old Chaps of 60 Went Swimming Together.

Neither of these old chaps is under 60, yet each is a living example of the fact that men are only boys grown tall, says the Detroit Free Press. They live a few blocks apart on Brush street and have been chums ever since they were toddlers. The other evening, just after sunset, the one living farther out came strolling by the house of the other, keeping a keen lookout from the corner of his eye for his comrade. When he was sighted, trying to keep cool in a hammock stretched under an apple tree, the man on the sidewalk held up his hand and began making cabalistic signs with his fingers, while he walked on his toes and pressed a finger of his other hand on his lips to enjoin silence. The old gentleman under the tree was puzzled for a minute. Then he sprang from his hammock with youthful agility, gave a sweep of his arm that motioned his crony to the alley behind the barn, and said, "Blamed if I don't," as he stealthily entered the house by the kitchen door. When he went slowly through the back yard as though he had nothing special on his mind, his coat-tails bulged suspiciously and his eyes had a glint of mischief. The two saluted in whispers, slipped around half a block to get a car, giggled and talked under their breaths until they reached a well known point up the river, and there went in swimming, diving, whooping, swimming doggie and turning turtles as nearly possible like they had done half a century before. They dried their scant hair carefully, stowed the soap and towels out of sight and reached home prepared to prevaricate if questioned. Next day they shook hands, carried themselves more erect and congratulated each other that they still knew their boyish tricks.

A Bird's Foot.

Birds cannot open the foot when the leg is bent; that is the reason they do not fall off their perches. If you watch a hen walking, you will notice that it closes its toes as it raises its foot, and opens them as it touches the ground.

An Adventure in the Jungle.

The moon has a curious trick of changing objects into something quite unlike themselves in appearance. In one instance such a transformation nearly cost the life of a British soldier. He thus relates the incident: My company had been ordered into the Deshur district to break up the Dacoits, who had become very troublesome. We arrived there in the night, stormed a band of the robbers by moonlight, killed or captured a round dozen of them, and chased the rest into the jungle. Some of us followed on foot among the reeds and bushes, but soon got tired of this useless business, and were quite willing to stop and turn back at the sound of the recall. Our hospital steward, a native, and a good one, was by my side. My canteen had been emptied on the march, and I was parched with the thirst that follows fighting. Something among the bushes glistening on the ground like water, caught my eye. "It's a stagnant pool left by the rains, but it will serve to wet my throat," I said, and was for throwing myself on the ground to drink, but the steward pulled me back. "Nay, sahib, stay! Lend me your sword for a moment!" he said. He took my sword, and lightly stirred the pool with its point. From the middle of the pool a cobra's hooded head arose, and there came the sound of its hateful hiss. With a sweep of the sword the steward cut the reptile's head off, and at once what had seemed to me a water pool became the writhing coils of a serpent that had been fully six feet in length. "That was your pool, sahib," the steward gravely said: "it is well that you paused before attempting to drink from it."

One Way of Looking at It.

"It has been openly asserted," exclaimed one citizen, "that that politician accepts money for his influence." "Well," replied Senator Sorghum, "he isn't to blame for that. If people choose to advertise his business for nothing he can't help it."—Washington Star.

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Mrs. Shortwed—What are you looking in the cook book for? Shortwed—To see if you made that cake right. It mentions the flour and the butter, but it doesn't say anything about the two pounds of lead.—Judge.

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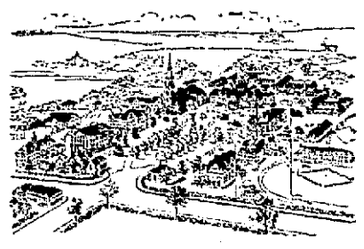

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No.		
	SOUTH.	
7	arrives daily	2:27 a m
7	leaves "	2:32 a m
11	" " except Sunday	5:45 a m
1	arrives " " "	9:30 a m
1	leaves " " "	9:45 a m
5	arrives "	12:20 p m
5	leaves "	12:35 p m
3	arrives "	4:00 p m
3	leaves "	4:05 p m
15	arrives "	9:50 p m
61	Sunday only, leaves	7:45 a m
	NORTH.	
2	arrives daily, except Sunday	8:20 a m
2	leaves " " "	8:25 a m
14	leaves "	5:55 a m
6	arrives "	11:40 p m
6	leaves "	11:55 p m
4	arrives " except Sunday	4:30 p m
4	leaves " " "	4:35 p m
10	arrives "	9:00 p m
12	arrives "	1:25 a m
12	leaves "	1:35 a m
60	Sunday only, arrives	7:40 a m
60	" " leaves	7:45 a m
62	" " arrives	10:20 p m

P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.

New Time Card, taking Effect June 26, 1898.

No.		
	EAST FROM LIMA.	
4.	Daily	7:05 a m
6.	Daily	8:30 a m
56.	Daily except Sunday	11:25 a m
20.	Daily except Sunday	3:15 p m
8.	Daily	9:30 p m
2.	Daily	10:50 p m
	WEST FROM LIMA	
15.	Daily	2:00 a m
5.	Daily	4:35 a m
39.	Daily except Sunday	9:50 a m
9.	Daily	2:50 p m
35.	Daily except Sunday	6:10 p m

D. & L. N. R. R.

No.		
	GOING NORTH.	
6	Vestibuled express, daily ex. Sun.	11:00 a.m
2	Daily	6:15 a.m
8	leaves daily, Napoleon and Bellefontaine accommodation	6:45 p.m
	GOING SOUTH.	
5	leaves daily, Napoleon and Bellefontaine accommodation	7:15 a.m
1	Daily ex. Sunday	1:22 p.m
3	Express, daily ex. Sunday	7:45 p.m
7	Sunday only	12:30 a m

ERIE R. R.

In effect Jul 10, 26, 1898.

No.		DEPART
	WEST.	
6	Vestibule limited, daily for Chicago and the West	11:23 a m
8	Pacific express, daily for Chicago and the West	1:12 a m
1	Express, daily except Sunday, for Chicago and the West	9:10 a m
31	Local freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:00 a m
13	Wells-Fargo fin'd express, daily except Monday	4:50 p m
	EAST.	
8	Vestibule limited, daily for New York and Boston	9:02 p m
2	Express, daily except Sunday	3:24 p m
12	Express, daily for New York	3:11 a m
32	Local freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:50 a m

OHIO SOUTHERN R. R.

In effect May 23, 1898.

TRAINS SOUTH.	TRAINS NORTH.
No. 1 leaves 5:40 a m	No. 2 arrives 11:05 a m
No. 3 leaves 3:40 p m	No. 4 arrives 9:20 p m

Trains Nos. 1 and 3, leaving Lima at 5:45 a. m. and 3:30 p. m., make direct connections for all points south and southeast. Baggage checked through from any residence in Lima to any point on or reached via the Ohio Southern. For further information as to rates, etc., call up city office, 75 Public Square. Telephone 69.

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In effect Sept. 5, 1897.

No.		
	WEST.	
1	arrives	9:45 a m
1	depart	9:50 a m
3	arrives	2:25 a m
3	depart	2:45 a m
5	arrives	4:45 p m
129	Minster accommodat'n, leaves	4:50 p m
	EAST.	
6	leaves	7:20 a m
4	arrives	1:25 p m
4	leaves	1:45 p m
2	arrives	7:15 p m
2	leaves	7:20 p m
128	Minster accommoda'n, arrives	9:10 a m

WANTED HUSBAND PARDONED

She Told the Governor That They Were Hungry.

Gov. Taylor of Tennessee is noted for his ability to tell a good story as well as for a softness of heart that compels him to make more frequent use of the pardoning power than does any other governor. An illustration of both these traits came under my observation a short time ago during a visit to Tennessee, says Leslie's Popular Monthly. I was sitting in the parlor of the Marshall house, in Nashville, with a little party of friends, which included Gov. "Bob," when the latter was asked if he was not overrun with applications for pardons. The mention of the word "pardons" always starts the genial governor on a string of stories, and this instance was no exception. He told four or five before the little party broke up. One of them at least is worthy of a larger audience. The governor had fled to his summer home to escape the crowds of pardon-seekers, when a woman who had sought him in vain at the capitol was ushered into his presence. "Well, madam, what can I do for you?" "I want to see the gov'ner, sir." "Well, I'm the governor; what is it?" "Ah, sir, my man he's been put in prison, sir, and I want to ask you if you won't let him out?" The governor's face hardened. He had not, after all, escaped the pardon-seekers. But he did not turn her away. "What was he sent up for?" he asked. "You see, sir; we was hungry, and he just stole a ham to keep us from starving." "Well, I'm sorry; but I can't do anything for you. Your man must serve his sentence. There's too much stealing going on. "Oh, gov'ner, please let him out," pleaded the woman, the tears flowing down her cheeks. The tears had their effect. The governor softened. Stealing a ham was not such a very terrible crime, and this poor woman no doubt needed her husband. He dicided to question her a little. "But why," he asked, "anould I give your man his freedom?" "Because, sir, we are hungry again, and we ain't got no more ham!"

AMBITION REALIZED.

A Trip on the Lake Which Was Pleasant Beyond Description and Cheaper Than Staying at Home.

While in Chicago recently we found that a four days' outing could be taken on the elegant passenger steamer Sheboygan, belonging to the Goodrich Transportation Company cheaper than we could remain in the city. On Wednesday at 8 p. m. we left the docks of the company at the foot of Michigan avenue and was scarcely well out in the lake before we began to realize the treat in store for us. We were assigned a comfortable state room and provided in every way with all of the comforts and necessaries incident to a first-class hotel. During the tour, which took in all of the principal points along the west shore of Lake Michigan, we touched at Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Sturgeon Bay, Green Bay City, Marinette, Menominee. The meals furnished were of the very best, any high grade hotel not exceeding them in quality. After four as pleasant days as we ever spent in our lives we arrived at Chicago on Sunday afternoon, and what do you suppose the total and entire expense of this charming lake tour amounted to? Only the $11 charged by the Goodrich Company for our ticket. This included every possible want of any reasonable person, and surely no one having a life-long ambition to make a lake journey, as we had, can plead the expense as a reason for not making it. This same company has other steamers engaged in the touring business, and one can get as short or as long a trip as best suits their purse. Any one desiring a half day longer journey and to go further north can secure a ticket on the Chicago, which leaves on Thursday evening, visit all of the places named, and Escanaba in addition, and returning arrive in Chicago on Monday afternoon, the expense being but $12. All of these trips include meals, state rooms and all possible necessities—in short, you need not take your pocket-book along. LUCILLE.

A Sprained Ankle.

A false step, a fall or a sudden wrench is very often the cause of that painful straining of the fibrous tissue commonly known as sprain. The ankle is, as a rule, the victimized member, and many are the tedious hours for which the careless dispenser of orange peel can be held accountable. There are several methods of treating a sprained ankle, one of which is strapping the leg from ankle to knee with adhesive plaster. The plaster is cut in strips about an inch in width and of sufficient length to encircle the leg to within half an inch, the space being left to insure free circulation. This treatment can only be applied before the leg begins to swell, therefore within a very short time of the accident. Recovery by means of the ordinary treatment, that of elevating the foot and having recourse to hot applications, may be greatly accelerated by scientific massage. By proper manipulation the swelling can be reduced and the pain lessened in a very short time. If, however, the service of one who thoroughly understands giving the treatment cannot be obtained, simply rubbing will often give relief. The rubbing must always be up, not down, and the hands of the operator as well as the wounded limb should be made thoroughly antiseptic before any friction is applied, lest the secretions of the skin being rubbed into the pores should be reabsorbed and inflammation increased in the strained tissues.

GLOBE WISDOM.

It is very easy to insult a hungry man.

The easier a woman cries the less it means.

It is easier to sell a farm than it is to sell a piano.

A good figure in youth becomes flabby fat in middle age.

A woman who cries a great deal is usually a great kisser.

No one who is compelled to buy it is last long. We can't lose Richard, and don't we know it.

THEATRICAL LETTER.

SAYINGS AND DOINGS OF PLAYERFOLK.

What Happened at the Play—The Matinee Dude is the Latest Curiosity in Gotham—The Big Olympia Goes for a Song.

AN intense fashionable looking young man happened to spy a couple of well-known actresses at a matinee performance at Herald Square the other day. Although he knew them but slightly nothing would do but he must go down and speak to them, despite the fact that only a few moments before he had been discussing a good cigar and an invigorative with a male friend just across the way. The ladies did not seem overjoyed to see him, but nevertheless, as there was a vacant seat he remained with them when the curtain had gone up. After a time one of the ladies scribbled a line on the margin of her program, which the young cad had the assurance to playfully take from her hand and read. This is what she had written: "For heaven's sake, can't you send him out after a philostome or something and induce him to fill his pockets with perfume tablets. Nothing but Hudnitine-violet can save him, I'm sure." After reading, the exquisite young gentleman rolled his eyes and gazed into space for a moment, then slowly getting up he bowed elaborately and slunk away out of sight and was seen no more. And the ladies smiled and seemed happy.

That memorial window erected by the Players in the Little Church Around the Corner (which is the Church of the Transfiguration) is attracting a great deal of attention. All the actors in town go there to gaze, admire and criticise and recall reminiscences of Booth. The unveiling of the window was an event in the history of the church. La Farge has received many compliments for his fine work. The figure is almost life size and represents a mediaeval histrionic student holding a mask in his hand.

The big Olympia and all that is covered under its roof, including the music hall, the Lyric theater, the concert hall and roof garden was sold at a foreclosure sale in New York the other afternoon and was purchased by the New York Life Insurance company for $950,000. The claims against the building, including the mortgage, were for $968,000, which leaves a deficiency of $18,000, which will be charged against Mr. Hammerstein. The bidders were few, although many attended the sale out of curiosity. As Mr. Hammerstein claims to have spent over $300,000 in the building, this is entirely wiped out, and all his equity is likewise gone with the chances of a deficiency judgment being entered against him. Speculation is now going on in the newspapers as to the future of the building. Some say it will be used by Tammany Hall, others claim it will be conducted as a music hall or roof garden, while the insurance company say the building will be resold. As it stands now the matter is in an unsettled state. The insurance company is not likely to allow the building to remain idle very long.

MARIE DRESSLER.

VIRGINA HARNED.

From present indications E. H. Sothern and Virginia Harned will be separated in their theatrical career this fall. Mr. Sothern has been contracted for to appear in Philadelphia at the Broad Street theater in "The Courtship of Morris Buckler," dramatized by Editor Clarke of the Criterion. If this play succeeds it will be subsequently presented at the Lyceum theater, while Virginia Harned will star in "Lady Ursula," which has been booked for some time at the Garrick theater. It has not been settled who will be Mr. Sothern's leading lady.

A sample of the press agent's material is herewith furnished to show how the Standard Dictionary is tortured. Chas. McGeachy, of the Casino, writes: "By a swift, direct stroke the management brought to a sudden close, last Saturday evening, their propitious 'festival' of 'The Great Erminie' at this house, purely in deference to the unadorned reason that the 'festival' had encroached on the constitutional summer rest of certain of the chief singers who had promised but four weeks of participation, and having, under pressure, assented to an additional week, resisted further intercessions for the extension of even a single week more."

What a very clever man Richard Mansfield is after all. He has adapted such a very novel mode of getting all the free advertising he wants, that he is quite a thing of wonder to the admiring public. Dick—doesn't that sound friendly—is tired of the stage, and it bores him dreadfully to act to audiences, who pay to see him, and he is dying to give it up. Beatrice is dying to give it up, too, like a dutiful wife, but we need not grieve, it won't

A party of friends and myself were talking the other day about what we intend to have done with our remains when we have passed away. Of course there were plenty of other cheerful subjects to talk about, but this one appeared to us, in fact it seemed to have a gruesome sort of fascination, and we all discussed it with a great amount of interest. Several people in the party dwelt on the beauties of embalming. One or two preferred the good old way of being buried with a neat tombstone set over them with a few kind remarks. One actor insisted that he preferred being cremated, and he insisted that it was by far the best way to dispose of anyone. "Well," said one gentleman, who is now "resting," owing to the fact that the companies are closed, "I know one man who wouldn't be cremated for anything in the world, and that's Joe Murphy." Of course we all asked how he knew that Joe would object. "Because," he replied, "he would be afraid someone would blow the ashes," and then we all smiled. Do you blame us?

What a clever woman Marie Dressler is! She always has something entirely new to amuse her audience with, and she doesn't seem to mind in the least making herself perfectly absurd, if the people out front only laugh at her. At Koster's not long ago Marie made a huge hit with me.

I have just met a poor unfortunate female who has been married three times, and she really is very interesting to talk to. The first time she took the fatal step, she tells me that she went to church in a carriage and a pair, and had a carpet from the curb to the church steps. The next time she was married to a captain of a steamer, but the third time she married an actor, and had a glass of beer and a horse-car ride, and now she's in the vaudeville supporting herself, but on the lookout for No. 4.

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DETROIT citizens have enjoined the city council from spending $5,000 to entertain the Municipal League, of which Lima is a member.

THE trouble with the insurgents in the Philippines and in Cuba is no more than what might be expected of a mongrel race, especially when Spanish blood enters into the mixture.

WHAT is to become of that Spanish debt to the extinction of which the robber revenues of Cuba were pledged? It is certain that Spain will pay no debts from Cuban revenues hereafter.

SPAIN only has two warships left that amount to anything in modern warfare—the Pelayo and the Carlos V. And yet men like Weyler urge her to keep on fighting a nation 3,000 miles away.

PROBABLY Spain will hold off long enough to allow General Merritt to capture Manila. But it don't really make any difference. Manila is destined to become American in any event.

HAYTI refuses to allow us to establish a weather station on her soil on the excuse of her neutrality. Evidently she thinks we are going to use our weatherman to turn a Nebraska blizzard on the Spanish.

WHAT has become of Weyler? He has been as silent recently as a small boy at an apple parin'. When the present war is over the only opening left for him will be as special correspondent to some well known "yellow" journal

PRESS COMMENTS.

Washington Post: In order to avoid future unpleasantness General Shafter should provide himself with invitations to the surrenders.

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RAILROAD NEWS.

C. A. Chambers, general passenger agent for the D. & L. N. railroad, is here from Detroit.

F. E. Fisher, general passenger agent for the Ohio Southern road, returned last evening from St. Louis, where he accompanied his daughter on a visit.

A story from Chillicothe is to the effect that the C., H. & D. will build a trolley line from that place to Washington, C. H., a distance of 25 miles.

Car Accountant Yazell, of the D. & L. N., located at Tecumseh, was in the city this morning.

The Columbus division of the D. & L. N. Railroad will be completed in a day or two so as to permit the running of trains through to the Capital City

Clark Longsworth, assistant in the P. F. ticket office, is visiting with his wife, who is visiting her folks in Wellsville, N. Y.

Hover Park is the place and "Faust" is the play.

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BREAKING OF THE DAWN.

The Country on the Verge of a Great Business Revival--Opinions of Local Business Men.

The peace overtures offered to our government by the French minister, and which were discussed by the cabinet and reported favorably on Saturday, will probably be accepted by Spain and terminate the war.

With the treaty of peace signed and the boys home again, and all the commercial uncertainties which are incident to war, cleared away and disposed of, the country will enjoy a business revival the likes of which has not been experienced for half a century.

The signs of the times indicate that a good time is coming, and it is not the approach of a political campaign or a dose of political "hog wash" that stimulates us and gives rise to prognostications of this character. The assertion is based upon observation, by historical comparison and a careful study into social and commercial conditions. It is an adage as old as language, that a calm follows a storm, a business revival follows a panic.

The war has created a great many demands that have been supplied by goods in stock, or by such as were manufactured for the special occasion. Again, business has simply moved; there has been no progress—things have moved only sufficiently to retain their inertia. The uncertainty of the markets and of the commercial conditions in general have been so unsafe and uncertain that men in all ranks and walks of trade have been conservative; they have been taught by past experience that the man who is careful is wise. However, that the end of the war is at hand and the great restraint that has been laid upon business will be lifted the clouds will have cleared away and it is as natural that the conclusion to a proposition in logic that the revival will follow. Below is given the opinions of local business men. They are in a position to judge things generally and locally. They have gone over the ground carefully, and have viewed the horoscope before. Read then opinions and cheer up:

The bankers of the the city have studied the commercial situation perhaps more thoroughly than any other men as a class, and by their opinions given below even the fool or wayfaring man can see the beginning of the dawn is at hand and the prospect is rosy tinted.

W. H. Duffield, of the Metropolitan bank, says—I think a closing of the war will bring about a business revival. I think it will affect the trades locally in a way, but the most noticeable change will be among the big dealers and in larger deals. That business will improve is unquestionable.

T. T. Mitchell "President City Bank" Business must improve soon. The war trade has virtually been suspended during the conflict. There was a business revival at hand when war came and the only effect it had on the commercial world was to postpone the revival a little while. There are good times coming.

J. C. Thomson, "President Ohio National Bank:" It is hard to tell the effect, the closing of the war will have on the world of trade the only reasonable thing to predict is a general business revival

Yet there may arise an entirely different result out of the complicated position into which the nation has been plunged. It is wise to hope and predict for the best however, and therefore I will say a business revival is at hand.

T. D. Robb President First National Bank—We are having good times at present, but hope for an improvement, with the close of the war. Business will revive and Lima will be affected, the good old days will come back again, and the town will take one of its celebrated jumps in population and wealth.

Frank Baxter, of the Commercial Bank—I think with a closing of the war and a return of the boys, the business atmosphere will be cleared up and things will be much better. Business is sure to revive

Joseph Goldsmith American National Bank—I think the country will enjoy a genuine business revival when the war is over Peace will surely bring about this result.

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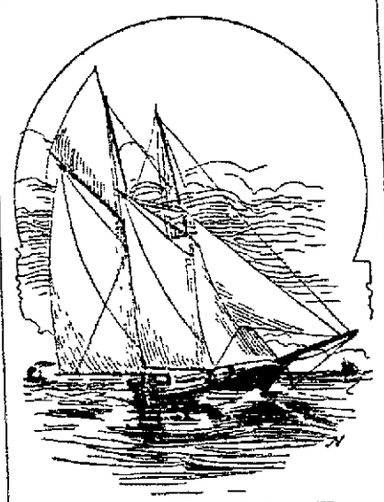
Englishmen believe they may win the America cup with the yacht Rainbow, owned by Charles L. Orr-Ewing, which is believed to have been built for the purpose. The boat, which was designed by G. L. Watson, the creator of the Thistle and the two Valkyries, is 168 feet over all and comes just within the cup limit by being 115 feet on the water line. She sports a 90-foot main boom and 12,500 square feet of canvas, the biggest sail spread ever



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put on a two-sticker. This, of course, does not include her extra balloon and other light sails. In her mainsail alone there are 5,200 square feet of duck, while her maintopsail will spread 1,700 feet of canvas to the breeze. All this top hamper is steadied by a perfect lead mine underneath, represented by 110 tons of lead bolted to her keel, which, by the way, is the heaviest keel ever put on a yacht.

The chief reason why no challenge was issued this year was not on account of the war so much as the fact that schooners are never at their best the first year, as it takes at least 12 months to tune them up to concert pitch, while a sloop could be prepared in half that time. No one knows this better than Watson, and, while only ten months' notice is required to challenge, it would take any American designer nearly two years before his boat could be built and going at her best, so the Rainbow would have a year's advantage, as no boat, unless she was already under building way, would be in any condition to meet her.

That a new boat would have to be built to meet her goes without saying, as all of our big schooners are old and out of date, and even the Colonia would be far outclassed, as she only measures 90 feet on the water line. So, unless the New York Yacht club members bestir themselves, there will be no cup to defend after next year.

FRANCISCO SILVELA.

The Only One of Spain's Conservative Statesmen Who Is Not Tainted with Corruption.

Senor Francisco Silvela, whose political stature now eclipses all the other statesmen in Spain, is what is described as a dissident conservative His greatness and worth are not unknown to the American public, and he is admired by such of these as know him as a good man entirely out of his sphere in the rout of Spanish filthy politics and intrigue of state. As a statesman and journalist Senor Silvela has tried his utmost to bring about peace between the United States and Spain. In his paper, the Tempo, he has shown

FRANCISCO SILVELA.
(The Man Who May Save Spain from Complete Ruin.)

remarkable wisdom, but his words seem to have slight effect on Spanish minds. It is predicted that if Spain emerges from her present coil without almost total ruin it will be the hand of Silvela that will have saved her. In all the duplicity and corruption and selfish treachery of the unfortunate country's politics this statesman stands pure and undefiled. On his long public career there is not a spot, and his private life is as admirably perfect as his public. If Spain has any man in her politics that stands for purity, justice and the civilized notion of honor it is Silvela. Opposed to him in character and record is Romero y Robledo, the personification of corruption. The latter is now in the eye of Spain and he may rule for a short time or for a long time. His influence will only serve to make the American conquest more far-reaching, whereas Silvela could save Spain were the rabble to listen to his advice. An example of Spanish official corruption—an example that shows the spirit of the Robledos, the Riverns, the Weylers and others—is found in the action of the Spanish purchasing agent for the warship Vizcaya, who demanded that the American dealers who coaled the ship when she was in New York should give him receipted bills for double the value of the coal. It can be readily imagined what an honest man like Silvela must feel in such surroundings.

OHIO.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Border—Bids For State Painting Opened.

Special to The News

COLUMBUS O., Aug 2—Bids for state printing for the ensuing year were opened by the state printing commission today. There were ten bidders. J. L. Trauger, of Columbus, was the low to the first four, and eighth classes. The Longing Co., of Norwalk, was the lowest on the second and ninth classes. The Westbote Co., of Columbus was the lowest on the third class, Myers Brothers, on the fifth class and E. J. Herr, of Columbus, on the sixth and seventh classes. No awards were made and a right will be made on the sixth class, which is the state agricultural experiment station work.

Wire Drawers to Strike.

CLEVELAND O., Aug 2—It is announced that a strike will be inaugurated Tuesday by the wire drawers at the three large mills recently absorbed by the wire trust in this city, unless a compromise is effected in the meantime between employes and the company. Six hundred men, who are members of the Federated Wire Drawers union, claim their wages have been cut fifty per cent since the trust took hold of the mills. If these 600 men go out, as now seems likely, two or three thousand other employes will be affected.

Elect Officers

COLUMBUS O., Aug 2—The American instructors for the deaf and dumb Monday night re-elected Dr L. M. Gallaudet of Washington, D C, president Mr Mathison, of Canada was elected vice president, Mr. Dobyns, of Illinois, secretary, and J L Smith of Minnesota, treasurer All officers are elected for a term of three years.

Trotting Horse Utterly Ruined

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 2—A bay stallion owned by Tom Burgess of Mt. Sterling, was ruined as a racing horse at the driving park Monday The horse was entered in the grand circuit races, and while being worked out Monday morning slipped cutting a tendon on his left forelegs He is utterly ruined

Entire Town Flooded.

CHILLICOTHE O., Aug 2.—A waterspout burst the bank of the Ohio and Erie canal near Andersonville, ten miles northwest of the city, and in a short time the entire town and a large tract of country were flooded The damage was considerable, but can not be accurately estimated at this time.

Aged Convict Dead.

FRANKFORT, Ky, Aug. 2.—Press Moody, an aged convict with a bad criminal record, died in prison here His last murder was that of Theodore Powell at Richmond. Moody belonged to a well known and respectable Madison county family and had killed three men.

Mistook Arsenic for Quinine.

RAVENNA, O., Aug. 2—Alexander McCracken died at his home Monday night, having taken arsenic. He was 66 years old and an Odd Fellow. He said before he died that he mistook arsenic for quinine

Burglary at Yellow Springs.

SPRINGFIELD, O, Aug. 2.—Word was received here that the house of John Donney, near Yellow Springs, was entered while the family was at church Sunday and valuable clothing and jewelry carried off.

Ladies of the Maccabees.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 2—The fifth annual convention of the Ladies of the Maccabees of Ohio began Monday with an attendance of nearly 300 delegates, representing hives in all parts of the state.

Ice Plant Burned.

CHILLICOTHE, O, Aug. 2.—The Chillicothe Ice Plant and Cold Storage Co. burned to the ground at 6 o'clock Monday morning The fire started in the boiler room. Loss, $10,000; insurance, $4,500

Showman Ephraim W. Sells Dead.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 2.—Ephraim W. Sells, the elder of the Sells Brothers, well known circus men, died here at noon Monday of Bright's disease after an illness of several months

Granted a Stay of Execution.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 2—Lewis Wilkerson, who murdered James Wood at Marion, was to have been electrocuted Aug 3, but the circuit court has granted a stay of execution.

Hamilton County Dow Tax.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 2—Hamilton county paid into the state treasury Monday $101,441.40 as its July collection of the Dow tax.

Pacer Count Clay Sold.

WARREN, O, Aug. 2—J. S. Brady Monday sold the fast pacer Count Clay to Henry Hazemier, of Pittsburgh, for $1,200.

The Chief Burgess of Milesburg, Pa., says DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills he ever used in his family during forty years of house keeping. They cure constipation, sick headache and stomach and liver troubles. Small in size but great in results. H. F. Vorteamp, north east corner North and Main.

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TOM'S CANE

Gave the Whole Snap Away--A Lively Mix-up.

THE INJURED HUSBAND

Catches the Wife and Paramour and a Monkey and Parrot Time Ensues—a Divorce Suit Will Likely Follow—The Whole Story.

There was a lively scrap on McKibben street shortly before eleven o'clock last night in which Edward Richards, an injured husband, and Tom Bland, a well known young man about the city, were the participants.

Richards has been married for a number of years and lives with his family on Jackson street. He is an industrious fellow and works hard in the shops and endeavors to support his family and make his home life as pleasant as possible. Mrs Richards has not gotten over her girlishness yet and is as giddy and silly as a fifteen-year-old She has been in several little affairs. Her husband's suspicions, while they have been aroused for some time, were never confirmed until last night

Richards determined to watch his better half last night, and with a party of friends saw her leave the European Hotel, a joint of unsavory reputation near the P., Ft. W. & C. depot in company with Bland. The couple walked along the C., H & D tracks to McKibben street. Richards and his gang followed and the party came together near the L E & W. tracks and a regular monkey and parrot time ensued.

The woman when she saw what was up and that the trick had been turned, ran away and left Bland at the mercy of the gang of his enemies. It is not known how many participated in the fight, but that Bland was badly used up is settled beyond all question of reasonable doubt. Bland's effects were garnered after the storm and his walking stick was recognized at the police station.

The woman after leaving the scrapping party, went to her home on Jackson street and proceeded to loot the house, preparatory to leaving She got money to the amount of $185 her husband's watch and all the valuables that could hastily be gathered together and was preparing to leave, when Richards, in company with Detective Reeves, of the P. F. W. & C., caught her. She was allowed to come in the house and remain over night.

It cannot be said at this time what the outcome will be It is safe to say, however, the whole affair will terminate in the divorce courts.

LABOR NEWS.

The working classes are but playthings for the politicians of the two old parties.

When Uncle Sam has released and provided for the reconcentrados of Cuba it is to be hoped that he'll turn his attention to our reconcentrados at home

In response to the call in this department of THE NEWS for the barbers to meet at their hall as early as possible after closing hours, the entire membership was on hand at about 8 15 and a jolly crowd they appeared as the labor editor entered the hall. This being the night to pay up monthly dues and receive their shop cards, each member was ready with his amount to square up After this being through with, the meeting settled down to active business. H. B. Crosson, who had a withdrawal card issued to him some time ago, and was placed on the honorary list, deposited the same last night and is once more an active member

Delegates, don't fail to attend Trades Council meeting this evening at 8 o'clock sharp

Labor Day committee met last evening and compared notes as to the advancement of the duties assigned to each member of the sub-committees for the success of the excursion to Springfield The reports of the committees were satisfactory and all feel encouraged to continue in the good work.

To-morrow evening Federal Union No. 7098 will meet at Trades' Council hall. A large number of newly elected members will be initiated and it is hoped that as many of the old members will be in attendance as can possibly get there.

Young People's Christian Union

Of the United Presbyterian Church, Saratoga, N. Y., August 3rd to 8th, 1898. For the above occasion the Erie will sell excursion tickets on August 1st and 2nd for one fare for the round trip—$15.45. The Erie have the official train, and will run a special train through from Chicago to Saratoga, passing Lima as second section of No. 8 at 9:02 p. m., August 2nd. For space in sleeping cars and any other information, apply to

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COUNCIL.

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width of sidewalks on West North street between Main street and Elizabeth street, was put on its passage.

Mr. Reichelderfer moved that the Clerk advertise for bids for the grading and stoning of Sugar alley from Baxter to Collett streets. Carried.

FINDLAY STREET OPENING.

Mr. McDonald is certainly doing his best to get Findlay street opened up. Last night he presented a motion which went through with a hurrah, instructing the Solicitor to bring injunction proceedings against the C., H. & D. and L. E. & W. railroads for the opening of Findlay street.

The plat of T. K. Jacob's ninth addition to Lima, was presented and referred to the street committee.

AGAINST THE CITY.

The solicitor called the council's attention to the case of the city vs. J. R. Churchill, with reference to the opening of Collett street. In common pleas court Mr. Churchill was allowed $1,180 and $100 damages, and when heard before Judge Mooney last week he was allowed $1,380 but no damages. The solicitor suggested that the amount be paid.

PIGEONHOLED.

The West Wayne street property owners presented a petition to the council some time ago asking for the paving of that street from Washington street to Metcalf street, but it seems that the document got lost in the shuffle some way. The property owners couldn't understand why their petition had been pigeonholed and asked that the matter be attended to. Referred to the paving committee.

With reference to compelling the owner of a frame house on East Elm street just off Main street, to move same, the solicitor stated that there were a number of barns located on a line with the one complained of, and that if the council forced one to move from the alley it would be necessary to move all of them Matter was dropped

The engineer was instructed to draft plans and specifications for the building of walks on Reese avenue, West Vine street, South Pine street, St. Johns avenue, Findlay street, North West street, North McDonald, West Kibby and North Main streets.

CITY DEBTS.

The finance committee recommended the payment of the following bills for the month of July:

Fire Fund	$ 610 08
General Fund	652 79
Light Fund	1,252 50
Police Fund	911 52
Poor Fund	39 05
Sanitary Fund	151 40
Sewer Fund	268 10
Street Fund	2,424 80
Total	$6,738 19

The report was received and the clerk instructed to issue orders for the various amounts.

The finance committee also recommended that the request of John C. Boland, for $1,500 on the square guarantee fund, be rejected. Report was adopted. The committee also reported against refunding licenses as they had no authority to do so. The matter was referred back to the finance committee to ascertain the various amounts due hucksters. It will be paid back to them out of the general fund.

The mayor reported licenses collected during the month of July $37 and fines $251.30. Total $288.30. Received and filed.

The chief of police reported eleven arrests during the week ending Monday night. Received.

The light committee reported recommending that the light be removed from Wayne and McDonald streets to Wayne and Pierce streets. Adopted.

FAUROT PROPERTY ANNEXED.

The special committee appointed to investigate and report the advisablity of annexing to the city a tract of ground lying south of Elm street, and west of McDonald street, commonly known as the Faurot farm, and to also report on the advisability of establishing a grade, grading and opening west Elm street from West street to Collett street, submitted this report. "After investigating and consulting with many citizens and property owners living in the vicinity of said street, we respectfully recommend that all of said tract lying south of Elm street, north of the center of the Ottawa river, west of Metcalf street and east of the line 200 feet west of of the west line of Collet street, extended, be annexed to the city. And we further recommend that Elm street, from said West street to Cole street, be opened, grade established and graded."

The report was received and adopted.

"Faust" at Hover Park to-night.

POLICE NEWS.

Happenings in and About the City. Police Court.

Mayor Prophet left this morning for Detroit where he will attend the convention of Mayors and Councilmen, which is at present in session in the lake city. The Mayor will be gone for a few days only.

Detective Ed. Croy was called to the Purcell residence at 729 Elizabeth street, late yesterday afternoon, to look into a case which was supposed to have involved some stolen property.

The detective investigated the case and found a valuable ring was missing from a case in a bureau where other jewelry had been placed. Detective Croy does not think the ring was stolen, he rather thinks it was misplaced and that it will be recovered in due time.

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OIL REPORT.

Operations in Trenton Rock Field For July.

NEW WELLS COMPLETED.

Increase in Nearly All Quarters—No Dangerous Symptoms—The Daily Output Declining—The Drill Must Be Urged—General Review.

The pulse of the oil trade beats more satisfactorily than it did one month ago. There are signs of improvement in all departments. There has been an increase in the number of wells completed which leads encouragement to supply dealers and certainly largely benefits the labor element.

There is a future of the outcome to which the trade may not assign sufficient importance. This is the fact that, notwithstanding new wells are increasing in large numbers each month, and the business generally exhibits symptoms of renewed life and activity, the daily output has not suffered any increase. There must be a cause for this, usually the multiplication of the number of completed wells each month forces an increase in production. At present the case seems to be reversed. We have increased operations with declining yield.

The Ohio and Indiana fields seem to have passed their zenith It will be impossible by any chance to elevate the daily output to, and maintain it at its former position. This must be due to the fact that the rock pressure is waning throughout the entire oil producing area. Large wells even when obtained in remote localities do not maintain the credit ascribed to similar strikes of the past. They decline much more speedily. The average of the wells on the whole grows less with every returning moon. At present it is but little above two barrels to the well, taking both states together.

The present rush of the drill therefore should bring with it no calamitious forebodings. On the other hand it is welcomed as foreshadowing a season of general prosperity throughout the region. The advance of 4 cents a barrel of recent dates has inspired hope for still greater things in this direction. It is, of course, admitted that the prices now paid are in a measure gratutious offerings of the controlling authorities. But there is this other feature of the case: If the drill is not urged and the production increased from its present standpoint even the mighty arm of the Standard will be powerless to prevent a speedy upward movement. The daily output of the east has fallen materially. The The runs have declined from more than 100,000 barrels a day to about 70,000. This means much to the producers. The daily runs and shipments with which all are familiar in Ohio and Indiana are yet largely effective in reducing stocks.

THE OUTLOOK.

On the whole the outlook may be considered favorable to a better state of things in the oil trade of the entire country. To intercept the tide it will be necessary to make new and important discoveries. These are, perhaps, liable to occur in West Virginia than in Ohio or Indiana, though the latter state posses greater possibilities at the present time than her Trenton rock sister.

NO CHANGE.

There was no change in the local oil market to-day. The situation has remained the same for several days. The demand has been steady and has been met with a fair supply. There was a slight variation in the eastern markets. The local market, however, did not change an iota. There have been some recent discoveries in the Sistersville fields that have astonished oil men in general and which will no doubt affect the markets in this vicinity.

OHIO AND INDIANA.

Total Wells completed	201
Total production new wells, bbls	4386
Total number of dry holes	25
Total well-drilling	219
Total Rigs	244
Total new operations	463

Wells completed during the month of July 191, production 2996, dry 19, an increase over June of 57 completed, 5.50 barrels production and 4 dry holes. Wells drilling 187, rigs up 155, increase over June in drilling wells 37 and rigs up 55.

It will be noticed that there is no very important increase in new operations in any one particular section of either field. Nor has there occurred anything during the past month to cause a centralization of effort in any particular quarter.

RUNAWAY.

Last evening shortly before 6 o'clock a horse hitched to one of J. F. Renz's bakery wagons, started on a mad tear up Main street. When approaching Thompson's grocery, John Thompson, jr., attempted to catch the animal by grasping the lines. In doing so he accidentally ran his right arm through one of the windows in the wagon. His arm was lacerated in a terrible manner. A physician was called, and several stitches were taken. He is getting along nicely to-day, but will be unable to do much work for some time.

One dollar to Bellefontaine and return August 4th, via D. & L. N. Ry. Tickets good returning August 5th. Trains leave Lima at 7:45 a. m. and 3.50 p. m Account of Emancipation Day celebration. 5 2

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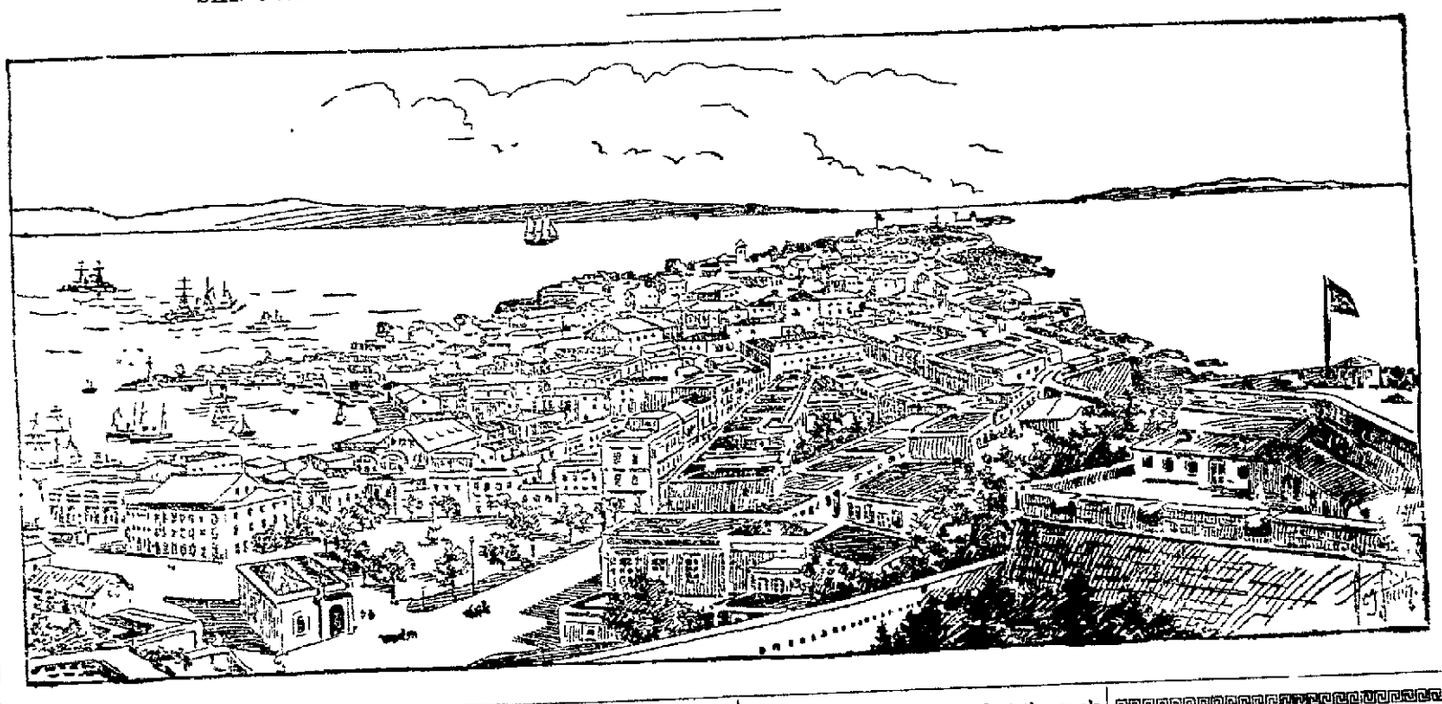

LAST SAD RITES

Performed Over the Remains of Anna Cook.

A Vast Assemblage of People Follow the Funeral to the Last Resting Place of the Deceased.

A vast conclave of the friends of the late Anna Cook assembled at the residence of her mother on Union street shortly before 4 o'clock last evening to attend the funeral services of the late deceased.

The remains arrived in this city Sunday night and were kept yesterday until 4 o'clock.

The death and funeral of Anna Cook is indeed sad, and is surrounded by many dolorous circumstances, so much so in fact, as to enlist for her mother the sympathy of a community.

There have been a number of deaths in the family in the last few years, two occurring within the last month. Mrs. Gore, who is at present at Colorado Springs, was failing rapidly when the party left here. It is to be hoped, however, that the change of climate will have the desired effect and aid her in regaining her health.

Mrs. Cook is now alone in the world with the exception of Mrs. Gore; one by one her large family have succumbed to the dread ravages of the terrible disease consumption. It is indeed a pathetic position for her to be in, and the whole people throughout the entire city have for her words of concoolence and sympathy.

The funeral of Anna Cook yesterday was largely attended. The vast conclave that assembled to do her the last honor was a brilliant testimonial of the high regard and esteem in which she was held in the community.

There were tears of genuine sorrow at her bier, and expressions of grief and regret that were echoed from the heart's deepest chambers.

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The above are the names in full of all the members of said partnership, and their places of residence.

Signed and acknowledged by us this 2nd day of August, 1898.

BESSIE J. STRICKLIN, Salem, Ohio.
J. HARRY KNISELY, JR., Lima, Ohio.

STATE OF OHIO, COLUMBIANA COUNTY, } ss.

Be it remembered, that on this 20th day of July, 1898, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said county, personally came the above named Bessie J. Strickelin and acknowledged the signing of the foregoing certificate.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, on the day and year last aforesaid at Salem in said county

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CHARLES M. MILLAN,
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White serge or fine flannel is especially suitable, and an attractive bathing dress worn by a fair miss is composed of the latter material, combined with red and blue plaid flannel, thus forming a very patriotic suit. The skirt is a simple gathered affair, with a deep band of plaid flannel at the base and worn over white bloomers. A sailor collar adorns the simple blouse, and is finished with a jaunty bow of plaid. Tiny puffs compose the sleeves.

MONDAY.

Breakfast.—Sliced Tomatoes. Hamburg Steak. Rolls. Coffee.

Luncheon.—Smoked Salmon. Brown Bread and Butter. Gooseberry Pie. Tea.

Dinner.—Cream of Potato Soup. Cold Roast Lamb, Sliced Thin. Mashed Potatoes. String Beans. Tomato and Lettuce Salad. Peach Shortcake. Cafe Noir.

A Pretty Matinee.

A becoming and graceful looking garment is a matinee of pale blue surah, trimmed with accordeon pleated chiffon. The neck is cut decollette and the material hangs in straight folds from the neck, intersected with insertions of fine laces and bordered at the base with a deep ruffle.

The two ruffles and the sleeves are composed entirely of the chiffon, trimmed with lace insertion. The opening of the jacket is on the shoulder, and under the arm, and is invisible.

Another pretty confection is of pale pink China silk, which is made with a deep yoke of alternate strips of silk and lace. From this yoke hangs straight the surplice like tunic, which reaches well below the hips. The sleeves are of lace and insertion.

TUESDAY.

Breakfast.—Oatmeal. Sugar and Cream. Oranges. Eggs, Boiled. Toast. Coffee.

Luncheon.—Lamb Croquettes. French Fried Potatoes. Wafers. Olives. Raspberries and Cream. Iced Chocolate.

Dinner.—Vegetable Soup. Broiled Porterhouse Steak. Roast Potatoes. Cauliflower with Cream Sauce. Watercress Salad. Pineapple Ice. Cake. Iced Coffee.

Graceful Summer Gowns.

The large, very much frilled berthas or fichus of muslin and lace are always ready, and will continue to be conspicuous features of summer fashions. The model so familiarly known as the Marie Antoinette is the chief favorite, and on many dressy toilets, when genuine hot weather comes, the pretty frilly elbow sleeves—also associated with the French queen—will again bear this pretty fichu company. And further, the long silk gloves of white or tinted silk will be substituted for those of kid, and the wide-brimmed chip or leghorn hat, heaped with clusters of roses and foliage, a la Watteau, will be en suite. Properly carried out, this combination will prove very poetic and picturesque. The Marie Antoinette sleeve is tight-fitting to the elbow; it is then furnished with falling frills of handsome lace in a double row. When the sultry days of summer come upon us, we shall be glad to discard the very long sleeves we have been wearing on gowns, and the cool silk gloves will likewise be an agreeable change for kid gants, either of the glace or undressed variety.

Glossy Materials Now Fashionable.

The silky Henriettas and French and India cashmeres in white and colors are regaining the place in fashionable favor which they lost when dull-surfaced, rough materials first became so popular. Cashmere, one of the best wearing fabrics we have, was banished because of its glossiness, which was then a fault, but now, by a turn of fashion's wheel, has developed into a virtue. There is even an extra lustre upon the face of some of the new wools, for the weaves are finer and silkier than ever. The embroidered patterns in dress lengths are very elegant and tempting. These decorated fabrics are not in the strict sense new. It is only the lapse of time that allows them the distinction of novelty. The robe patterns, as they are called, are a combination of plain and embroidered material, and this allows for variety and an exercise of artistic taste in making up the fabric.

WEDNESDAY.

Breakfast.—Raspberries. Sugar and Cream. Ham and Egg Omelet. Buns. Coffee.

Luncheon.—Meat Balls. Lettuce Salad. Bread and Butter. Plums. Wafers. Iced Tea.

Dinner.—Cream of Onion Soup. Roast Beef. Mashed Potatoes. Spinach. Lettuce and Egg Salad. Cherry Souffle. Cafe Noir.

The Polonaise.

There is no doubt that fashion favors height and slenderness of figure, real or apparent. The princess robe, and also a modified form of that severe style of dress in the shape of the polonaise, are before us. The latter is more convenient to follow for women of small means. The princesse robe, cut on its familiar, strict lines, and not elaborated with handsome laces, draperies, berthas, and other decorative modifying additions, is not suited to out-of-door wear, however graceful and correct it may be for the house. The princesse dress does not lend itself gracefully to any sort of wrap, which again unfits it for the promenade. A cape worn with it looks very odd, and a jacket contradicts the long, unbroken lines of the gown. The polonaise is more amenable, and this garment bids fair to be quite a favorite among gowns for certain uses this season, and still more popular in the preparation of tailor gowns for the early autumn.

Strange Grouping of Colors.

The most extraordinary combinations of colors are still a prominent characteristic of all smart French and American millinery. In most cases it requires all the skill of the trimmer to make the result other than either flashy or dowdy, the claim for admiration resting upon that very doubtful quality now so frequently put forth as a plea for toleration if not for admiration—that its beauty consists in its unique ugliness. "Uncommon," certainly, very many of the "smart" hats look, and whether it be that what is fashionable needs no further recommendation in woman's eyes, or that the modern milliner has attained much perfection in the study of crude, impossible melanges, it is certain that colors once absolutely hostile to each other are now artistically reconciled.

Blouse Waists for Girls.

Although girls of twelve and fourteen wear the regulation shirt waist with standing collar and jaunty tie now, the stores devoted to garments for children's wear make a specialty of fancy waists and blouses, which are much more becoming and youthful looking.

A pretty model is the full blouse of lawn or dimity, gathered in at the waist, and trimmed with ruffles of the material. These blouses are either made with the large sailor collar or small turned-down affair, with cuffs to match. A narrow ruffle also adorns the band down the centre of the front.

Valances for Beds.

Valances for metal bedsteads are made with a heading and usually stretched by running a tape through the double seam. The spread that accompanies the valance is of the same material—cretonne, or for summer use, organdie—and should be just long enough to fall a little below the heading. These bedspreads not only contribute to the decorative effect of a room, but are a thoroughly useful protection. The valance keeps the dust from the under side of the mattress, and the light spread, covering bed and pillow, insures neatness to the bed linen underneath.

A Good Idea.

A woman who is the owner of a rarely handsome mahogany table finds it at once her pride and her despair to keep it up to the high standard of condition which she insists upon achieving. It was her suggestion recently that she intended to make inquiries of her cabinet maker to see if it were not possible to have a glass top fitted over it as is done on trays. It would be easy, as she explains, to keep the glass polished and flawless, and through its transparency the beauty of the table would be apparent, while perfectly protected. Some other housekeeper may like to similarly pursue the suggestion, although its possibility is uncertain.

One Way of Catching Them.

An enterprising photographer has lately completed a system by which his pictures of babies have become famous. He has discarded all the familiar expedients of his profession to persuade very young children to submit to the camera, and his scheme has been completely successful. One part of his gallery has been fitted up like a nursery. Around the room at convenient points are situated cameras, and these are in charge of his assistants.

The photographer devotes his attention to the baby. He tries all the toys in turn, gets on as intimate terms as possible with the baby after such short acquaintance, and gradually lures the unsuspecting infant into looking his best. When pose and expression are satisfactory he gives a signal to one of his assistants at the cameras, and the trick is done. Mothers bring their babies from all quarters to this tactful photographer. It would be a difficult matter to find any child who would not, after ten minutes' session with toys, exhibit some expression that his parents would be proud of. The artist catches that expression, and as many other agreeable ones as possible.

The final delight comes to the mother when she receives the proofs, not sent as proofs usually are, but mounted on a large piece of cardboard, which makes it possible for her to compare them simultaneously. This wise man has left nothing undone which could strengthen his hold on the babies and their photographs.

THURSDAY.

Breakfast.—Hominy. Milk and Sugar. Scrambled Eggs with Parsley. Muffins. Coffee.

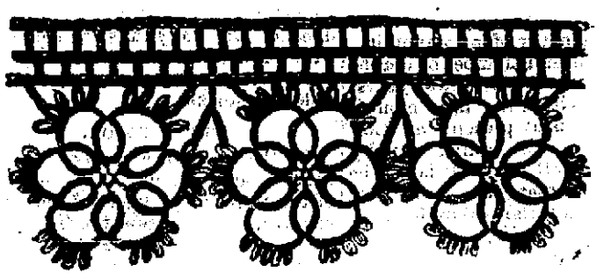
Luncheon.—Cold Roast Beef. Tomato Ketchup. Creamed Potatoes. Gooseberry Tarts. Iced Cocoa.

Dinner.—Lamb Stew with Green Peas. Potatoes. Summer Squash. Lettuce and Cucumber Salad. Raspberries with Sugar and Cream. Cake Coffee.

Flounces for Skirts.

Flounces put on straight all around are equally as fashionable as those arranged to curve upwards as they are carried towards the back of the skirt. The latter style is less familiar and on many forms more graceful. On a great number of the gowns for general wear this season the gored skirt with one deep Spanish flounce is extremely popular. The gored breadths may reach under the flounce, or may end where the top of the flounce begins. This style is much used for light silks, for sheer wools, and every sort of wash material, and trimmings are employed which best harmonize with the sort of fabric selected. Ruches, folds and rows of narrow velvet ribbon are used for silk, and shirring and tucking in various widths for light wools.

He—May I kiss you just once?
She—No.
He (unabashed)—How many times?



Tatting and crochet is a very popular form of fancy work during the summer, and a dainty edging makes a pretty as well as durable finish for children's undergarments. A neat design is reproduced. The tatted circles are first worked with crochet cotton. Then begin with a closed eye of 11 double knots, 1 small picot, 11 double knots. Take a second thread, work 3 double knots, 5 picots separated by 2 double knots, and 3 double knots, repeat 5 times more. In working the second and following circles draw through the third of the 5 picots in working the opposite picot of the next circle.

For the crochet heading:

Two chain, 1 treble into second upper picot, 3 chain, draw through next picot, * 1 chain, draw through following picot, repeat from * once more, 2 chain, draw through picot of next scallop, 1 chain, draw through each of 2 following picots, 3 chain, 1 treble into next picot but one, 1 chain, 1 triple treble into first picot of next scallops, work off half the treble, work another treble into opposite picot of next scallop, then work off the remainder of the triple treble, 2 chain, repeat from the beginning of the row.

The two upper rows consist of 3 chain, 1 treble into second chain of previous row.

WOMAN'S OWN WORLD

A Fetching Blouse.

Every day brings forth new designs for the separate waist, and each one seems to outshine the other in originality and beauty. A pretty fashion, and one that is extremely popular, has the upper part of the corsage cut low in the shape of a V, and is worn over a plastron or vest. This gives a jaunty appearance to a waist, and is very fetching.

A dainty waist made in this manner is of bayadere striped gingham. The lower part of the front is made in shield fashion and opens at the top with two small revers, faced with white linen. The vest is of pink and white dotted mull. A tie of soft silk is brought under the collar and ties beneath the plastron in a careless sailor knot.

FRIDAY.

Breakfast.—Hominy Cakes. Salt Mackerel broiled. Corn Bread. Coffee.

Luncheon.—Shredded Codfish with Cream Sauce. Sliced Tomatoes. Bread and Butter. Blackberries. Cocoa.

Dinner.—Little Neck Clams. Broiled Bluefish. Mashed Potatoes. Butter Beans. Tomatoes stuffed with Green Peas. Watermelon. Cafe Noir.

In Summer Array.

Dame Fashion has sunk into her usual midsummer lethargy. Stagnation is the only word which fully expresses this condition of affairs and the causes are manifold. In the first place the fashionable woman has laid in a store of gowns of every description necessary for a summer campaign at mountain or seaside, and in the second place the swell courturieres are busily planning and concocting novel and original designs to startle the eyes of the fall shoppers.

Still the large establishments show many toilets and dainty accessories to the toilet, which, if not new, are certainly worthy of mention. The summer months have brought forth a bewildering array of gowns, hats and parasols, which are glorious in their rich colorings and convey the impression when a bevy of summer girls are gathered together of a large garden of gayly colored flowers. Very few severe gowns are seen, and when they are they are made conspicuous by their very simplicity.

SATURDAY.

Breakfast.—Wheated Milk and Sugar. Lamb Chops. Rolls. Coffee.

Luncheon. — Sardines in Brown Sauce. Bread and Butter. Radishes. Crackers. Cherries. Iced Tea.

Dinner.—Boiled Ham. Potatoes. Spinach. String Beans. Tomatoes. Mayonnaise Dressing. Crackers. Peaches and Cream. Coffee.

Sanitary Wall Papers.

The sanitary wall papers now come in most effective and tasteful shades so that they may be used in the living rooms as well as in the bedrooms. For a while their choice of design and coloring was so limited that their use was correspondingly restricted. It is probably only a question of time when all wall papers will be sanitary and capable of being, as are now a few, washed off in good earnest. A novelty seen at one of the exclusive shops was a paper offered in soft, dull shades that was a perfect representation of denim. This popular and dull background for both floors and walls is highly artistic and effective, and now that the denim paper has come, we may look for its early popularity.

Fashion's Fancies.

Hats that turn abruptly off the face are just now among the very fashionable styles.

While deploring the increased length of dress skirts for the street, it is still more discouraging to hear that the very newest model—that endangers both life and limb—is a skirt which on the front and sides is cut at least an inch longer than the height of its wearer. This can hardly be credited but it is true, and to walk with any sort of ease or safety, a "finger-tip" hold of the skirt must be taken at each side, and the parasol be left at home.

Devilled Tomatoes.

Devilled tomatoes make an excellent summer breakfast dish, now that the difficulty of broiling over a gas fire is solved. Fresh, firm tomatoes are cut into thick slices and broiled quickly. Arrange neatly on a chop platter, and pour over them a sauce made from two tablespoonfuls of olive oil, a good pinch of white sugar, a saltspoonful of made mustard, a pinch of cayenne pepper, and three tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Let this boil up quickly in the saucepan, and it is ready for use. These tomatoes may be served from the chafing dish, roasted in the blazer with a little melted butter rather than broiled.

The smallest quadruped in the world is the pigmy mouse of Siberia.

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Hay Fever.

Mrs. J. C. Smith of Aledo, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled with hay fever and asthma every fall for twelve or fourteen years, and a cough that goes with it, that nothing has ever done much to relieve until I took your Dr. Kay's Lung Balm. Last year my brother-in-law had been away and brought a box home with him, and when my cough was at its worst he wanted me to try it and I did and WAS RELIEVED ALMOST INSTANTLY. So this fall when I got so bad my husband went to all the drug stores here and couldn't find it, so we sent to you, and this fall my cough got better as soon as I began to take it. I am all right now, but suppose of course I will have hay fever again next fall and will try and get the Dr. Kay's Lung Balm before I get so bad."

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Better.

According to Hardware, two rival commercial travelers were trying to sell a merchant a fireproof safe. The first said to the merchant: "A cat was put in one of our safes and the safe was put in the middle of a fire for twenty-four hours and afterward the cat came out alive." Said the second: "We put a cat in one of our safes and piled a fire round it for a week and when we opened it the cat was dead." "Ah, I thought so," said the merchant. "Yes," replied the traveler, "he was frozen to death."

The Standard Dictionary.

The Journal of Education, Boston: "In thoroughness, completeness, accuracy, typography, style, and illustration, it challenges criticism and commands admiration. It will make the world its debtor, and all who write must praise it evermore." The New York Herald: "The work is admirable from every point of view, is entirely up to date. . . . We are free to pronounce it the most complete and most satisfactory dictionary yet printed. . . . High praise to be sure, but it is well merited."

See display advertisement of how to obtain the Standard Dictionary by making a small payment down, the remainder in installments.

Queer Gift of a Convict.

A Thomaston young lady, while passing through the prison with her father lately, attracted the attention of a life-long convict, who asked of her father the privilege of giving her a present. Consent being given Mary was soon after made the recipient of a diamond ring.—Rockland (Me.) Courier.

Life and the Liver.

"Success in life depends upon the liver" is the way Chas. Lamb, the poet and punster put it. Medical science has proven, that nine-tenths of the ailments of living have their origin in the liver, and in constipation caused by its derangements. Keep the liver lively and it will be well. Modern science points out Cascarets as the only perfect, gentle, positive liver regulator fit to be used in the delicate human organism. All druggists sell Cascarets 10c, 25c, 50c, and we recommend them most heartily.

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True Love In Kansas.

In Kansas matrimony extends from the cradle to the grave. At Concordia the other day a couple aged 18 and 15, and a couple aged 51 and 61, stood up together and had the harness buckled on. On the same day a couple aged 17 and 16 were married in McPherson county. The mother of the bride sent a letter of consent to the probate judge, in which she said she believed in early marriages as "the only way to stop a lot of courting foolishness."—Kansas City Journal.

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Sharp.

A story is told of a lord and a clergyman who were once driving together and passed the city jail. The lord turned to his companion and jokingly said: "Where would you be, sir, if that jail had its due?" Without a second's hesitation his companion smilingly responded, "Riding alone, I fear."

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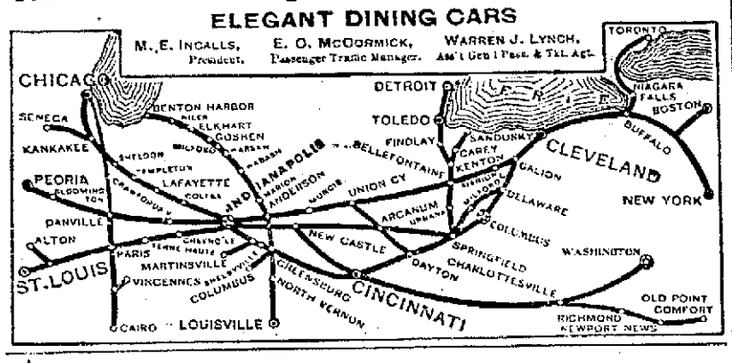

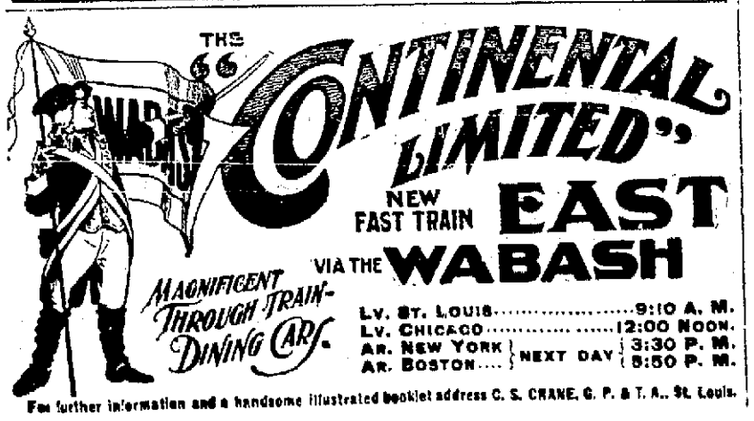

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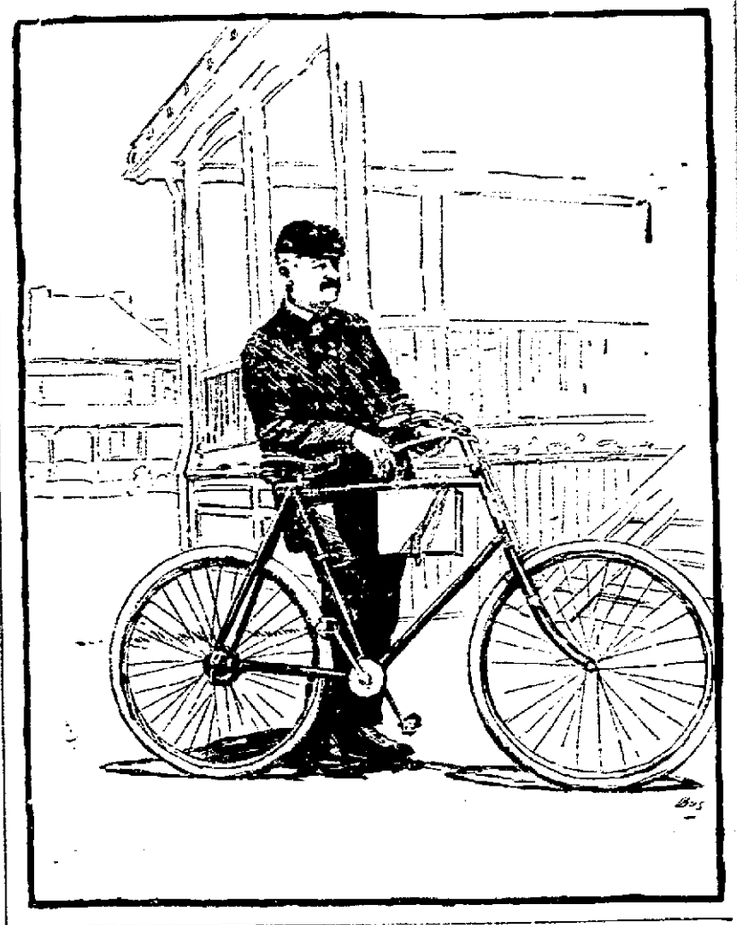

HOW MOTT CONDUCTS THE RACING BOARD.

Many Details to Be Attended To In His Branch of Outdoor Sport,

New York—Everybody who is in any way interested in cycling knows who Albert Mott is. His renown is due principally to his present work as chairman of the National Racing Board of the League of American Wheelmen. That has brought him prominently to the notice of the entire country, as well as to many foreign lands where cycle racing prevails. He has made an enviable reputation in this capacity and continues to earn new laurels every day, but that is by no means the only sphere in which he has made himself useful to his fellow mortals and devoted his time for the benefit of others. He has always been one of the energetic enthusiastic few who make the success of voluntary organizations possible.

His work as chairman of the Racing Board is heavy, much greater and more exacting than the average cyclist has any conception of, yet he manages to dispose of the business of the office each day satisfactorily, without allowing it to interfere with his duties in the Engineers' Corps of the United States army, stationed at Baltimore. He is a veteran of the civil war and has maintained his connection with the service ever since the close of that war. An idea of the magnitude of the work of the Racing Board is given in the statement that nine stenographers were employed by the board last year.

Mr. Mott receives letters from all over the world, and on subjects as varied as can possibly be imagined. His daily mail is larger than a banker's yet he contrives to dispose of it each day, answering each letter carefully and considerately. Therein lies the cause of much of his popularity.

President Potter of the L. A. W. considers Mr. Mott the most methodical worker the organization ever had.

In addition to the mail his office in Baltimore has to handle all the business of the racing interests of the country. The records of all racing men are kept there, all professional riders are registered there, a watch is kept on the performances of all racing men, both amateur and professional, all penalties are prescribed by the chairman and the immense routine of sanctions and dates for race meets must be looked after. When all these things are taken into consideration, it seems almost incredible that the chairman of the Racing Board is so popular.

When Isaac B. Potter was elected president of the League at Albany, in 1897, the old Racing Board recommended Sunday option for bicycle racing in its report to the National Assembly. Robert M. Welch of California was the chief agitator for Sunday racing, and he influenced the whole board. The proposition was rejected by the National Assembly and the old Racing Board kicked. It was understood that none of its members would accept a reappointment. So, with the exception of A. D. Wait, of New York, all were left off the new board, Mr. Potter appointing Albert Mott chairman. He served throughout the year and was reappointed this year. In many respects Mr. Mott has shown himself to be the best man that has ever occupied the office. He is considerate and extremely loyal to his friends. He will go out of his way to do a kindness for a racing man who is trying to do right, and for that reason is often more lenient in handling his men than his critics are willing he should be.

It is told of him that he has given diamond rings and other articles of value to riders at race meets, who have been unfortunate enough to lose after putting up a game fight and pacing a lot of competitors almost to the finish.

ALBERT MOTT AS HE LOOKS TO-DAY.

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Colored Free Masons.
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U. V. U.
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ABOUT THE CITY.

Late Local News in a Condensed Form for Busy Readers.

C. H. Hover, who has been quite ill for some days with a severe attack of tonsilitis, is able to be about again.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society will hold their all-day meeting to-morrow with Mrs. Waters at the parsonage.

The second of the series of piano recitals by Mr. Adams, of Lima College, will be given this evening in the college chapel. Beethoven's Moonlight, sonata and compositions by Schumann will be the principal features of the program. A cordial invitation is given all to be present.

His Satanic Majesty at Hover Park.

Snow & Neff the managers of the auditorium, had every reason to feel glad last night as they viewed the large audience in attendance at the opening of the company who appeared in their spectacular adaptation of "Faust." It was all they claim for it, superb, mystifying and sublime, as well as instructive. The specialties introduced are all catchy. The same program will be repeated to-night and there is no reason why the house should not be crowded as it is deserving of liberal patronage.

TO THE PUBLIC.

We take this means of thanking all who have heretofore entrusted their business in the insurance line to the firm of John O'Connor & Sons.

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PERSONAL.

Late Record of Limaites Abroad and Visitors in the City.

Miss Edna Webber is visiting relatives at Lima.

Judge Lineman of Delphos, was in the city to-day.

G. M. Sprague returned yesterday from an outing at Bay View, Mich.

Mrs. Mary Lones and Miss Charlotte Lones, left to-day for Mackinac.

Eddie Kirk, of the Buckeye, is home from a two weeks' visit in Cleveland.

Chas. Wallace of Perrysburg, Ohio, is the guest of J. H. and R. E. Wallace.

Dr. Yakey was in Columbus Grove yesterday afternoon on professional business.

J. M. Dungan, formerly in business in this city, is seriously sick at his home in Cincinnati.

Mrs. E. B. Cunningham and Mrs Robert Christia have returned home from a taip to the lakes.

Chas. Cooney has accepted work in Chicago and started this morning for that city, to assume his duties.

Mrs. Bush and daughter, of West High street, left to-day for a visit with her parents near Columbus Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pangle, of West Spring street, are entertaining Miss Margaret Cummings, of Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Linn leave shortly for Colorado Springs, to be gone several months for the benefit of his health.

Henry Moore came down yesterday from Lakeside where he has been with his family who are spending the summer there.

Van Wert Bulletin: Hon G. M. Saltzgaber has gone to Quebec, Canada, to join a party of Lima gentlemen on a fishing expedition.

C. H. Hageman, S. W. Williams and wife, and W. F. Bierley, of Piqua, spent Sunday with the family of F. J. Hageman, 202 East Market street.

Edward Isaacs, of Cleveland, formerly salesman for the Lima Clothing Company, has taken a position with The Michael Clothing Company.

Jim Farley, of West North street, is entertaining his father, of Xenia. It has been sixteen years since his last visit to Lima and he was amazed at the many advancements made here during that time.

"I think DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. H. F. Vorteamp, northeast corner North and Main.

COURT HOUSE.

Items of Passing Interest in and About the Temple of Justice.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

John Van Dyke to W. E. Snuble, lot 4636 in Van Dyke's addition, $200.

Samuel Zemmerly to Frank B Hover, lot 442 in McDonald's addition, $1,120.

M. H. McCullough, et al., to the L. E. & W. railway, a strip of land 1,000 feet lond and 15 feet wide off McCullough's addition facing Jackson street, $500.

Sidney Whitney and wife to Walter Whitney, lot 4515 Lima, $850.

Samuel L. Fryer and wife to Wm. Kolter, lots 468, 469 and 477 in Spencerville, $2.

Joseph H. Jones and wife to Jonah Smith, lot 2737 in Ashton's addition, $2,000.

DIVORCE.

Rosa Cahill, of Bluffton, has filed divorce proceedings against her husband, Stanton Cahill, in which she alleges wilful absence as the cause. The petition says they were married in Bluffton in 1892 and have one child. She prays for the custody of the child and alimony.

TO-DAY'S TEMPERATURE.

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WATSON'S WEATHER.

Fair to-night, followed by increasing cloudiness Wednesday evening.

Regular meeting of Mart Armstrong Post, G. A. R., at Memorial hall Wednesday evening at 7:30, Aug. 3d. H. G. Crum, Commander; O. Francis, Adjutant.

E. C. Blanks, of Lewisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth $50 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast corner Main and North.

Be sure and see "Faust" at Hover Park to-night.

During this week nearly all of the 1st New York regiment and a battalion of engineers under Maj Langfitt will leave San Francisco for Manila. One vessel or more will sail on Wednesday and all the troops named will be afloat by August 6. The United States commissioners who are to prepare a code of laws for Hawaii will sail on the Mariposa August 10.

COUNCIL.

Action Instituted Against the C., H. & D. for

THE OPENING OF FINDLAY

Street—Nelsonville Block and Tar Filler Adopted for South Main Street—Contract Awarded to Henry Gantz—West Elm Street to Be Opened.

Last night's meeting of the city council was a long winded affair, and matters of a great deal of importance were transacted.

After roll call and the approving of minutes of the previous meeting the clerk read a petition from the property owners on Circular street asking that the street be opened and improved from Main to Pierce street. Referred to street committee.

MAIN STREET PAVING.

The paving committee reported on the adoption of the Nelsonville block, tar filler and a Berea stone curb for the South Main street paving and that the contract be awarded to Henry Gantz at his bid of $48,530.60

Mr. McClurg moved the adoption of the report.

The Engineer called the Clerk's attention to a report he had left in his care. Engineer's report was then read and recommended the adoption of the Metropolitan block, a sand filler, a 30-inch curb for the paving of Main street and that the contract be awarded to Kerlin Bros., of Toledo, at their bid of $46,904.07, their bid being lower than that of Mr. Gantz.

Mr. Warner stated that the residents of South Main street did not seem to be favorably impressed with the tar filler. Said he would rather allow the contract on a cement filler. "If that filler is adopted the Metropolitan block will be the cheapest. Therefore I move as an amendment, that the word "Nelsonville" be stricken out of the committee's report and the word "Metropolitan" be inserted, also that a cement filler be adopted."

Mr. Koch stated that the Main street property owners would get a much better job at a less figure by adopting the committee's report.

A number of property owners on South Main street were present and Mr. Snyder said he would like to hear from them.

Mr Williams responded. Said he had lived on the street for thirty-three years and was in favor of a good brick at a reasonable price. He favored the Nelsonville block

C. F. Donze was of the belief that a good job could not be done this summer. He had talked to many of the property owners and the majority of them favored the Nelsonville block and a sand filler. He thought, however, they would prefer the Nelsonville block and tar filler to the Metropolitan block and sand filler.

Attorney Smith claimed for the Nelsonville block that it was twice as strong as the Metropolitan and rather than lose the best brick he favored tar filler

County Clerk Shappell said he voiced the sentiment of 90 per cent. of the residents of South Main street in the statement that he favored the Nelsonville block. The people over there don't like the name Metropolitan. A good many favor a sand filler, some a tar filler and but one was in favor of a cement filler. They are willing to forego the sand filler, however, and take a tar filler in order to get the Nelsonville block. The report of the committee meets with the approval of the majority on South Main street. Applause.

Mr. Harmon was on his feet, said Mr. Shappell told a good story but didn't bring any sworn affidavits along to back up his statements. "I know the people on South Main street do not want the Nelsonville block. The only thing to do is to award the contract to the lowest bidder." He wanted Mr. Shappell to understand every word he uttered.

Mr. Koch—The citizens are asked to come before the council and express their opinions, then Mr. Harmon gets up and abuses them, and asks them to bring in sworn statements.

Mr. McDonald was in favor of the Metropolitan block. Said a wonderful change had come over the members of the paving committee. "Mr. Miller couldn't say enough against the Nelsonville block when the bids were considered some time ago, yet he was now heartily in favor of that block. Said Mr. Potter, who wouldn't vote to insert a fifteen cent per hour clause for labor in the contract, was now in favor of awarding to the highest bidder. Also stated that Mr. Koch had been fooling around the "wood pile and was also in favor of letting to the highest bidder. "I'll never vote for a tar filler."

Mr. Robbins was not in favor of a tar filler, but was willing to give the South Main street people what they wanted. He thought the Metropolitan block was every bit as good as the Nelsonville block.

Mr. Rowlands—"It is only the fool that won't change his mind. I believe the Nelsonville block is all right. I believe it is better than the Metropolitan and as the majority on Main street seem to want the Nelsonville they should have it. If we can't give them the Nelsonville with the sand filler give them the Nelsonville with the tar filler. I want the people over there to have the Nelsonville block and the tar filler." Applause.

Mr. Miller thought a man had a right to his own opinion and to change his mind when he so desires. I have been convinced since the bids on South Main street paving were considered some time ago, that the property owners are bitterly opposed to the Metropolitan block and I am going to vote for the majority of the people. They are all favorable to the Nelsonville block.

Mr. Warner: The majority of the people on South Main street do not want a tar filler. I am not fighting the Nelsonville block, but would it not be a cheaper job to award the contract to the Metropolitan people with a sand filler than to the Nelsonville block with a tar filler?

Mr. Reichelderfer said he was Nelsonville before and was still Nelsonville. The South Main street people wanted the Nelsonville block before and they want it now.

H. D. Campbell owns 100 feet on South Main street, and talked for a long time on the merits of the Metropolitan block. Said a few residents of South Main street were present in the council room trying to create a feeling in favor of the Nelsonville block by snapping their fingers and stamping their feet. He said those present did not voice the sentiments of the majority on South Main street.

Mr. Reichelderfer said he had had a talk with Mr. Campbell a few days ago. He told me he had one hundred feet of ground on South Main street. Had bought it a long time ago to speculate but couldn't sell it for what it cost him. I don't put much weight on Mr. Campbell's judgment. I would rather take the judgment of the people who live over there.

Mr. McClurg said he had done most of his rag chewing on the outside. "It has dwindled down to this. We are either to give the people of South Main street a brick they don't want or a filler they don't want.

The people over there are almost unanimous in favor of the Nelsonville block. Now I would favor the sand filler above all others. But as they cannot get the Nelsonville block with a sand filler I shall vote for the Nelsonville and a tar filler.

Mr. Shappell, the South Main street grocer, spoke in favor of the Nelsonville block.

Mr. Harmon was on his feet ready to make his third speech in favor of the Metropolitan, when Mr. Potter rose to a point of order on the grounds that Mr. Harmon had spoken twice while others had not had a chance to say anything. Mr. Harmon was determined to talk, but was declared out of order by the chair.

Mr. Potter said he thought the sand filler was the best, but rather than lose the Nelsonville block he would fa vor tar filler.

At this juncture Mr. Warner wit drew his amendment, leaving th question on the adoption of the pavin committee's report. This report w adopted. Messrs. Harmon, McDonal O'Brien, Pennypacker and Robbi voting no.

The Solicitor was instructed to p pare the necessary resolution to awa the contract in accordance with resolution just passed, and so ends second chapter of the South M street paving question

SEWERS.

The sewer committee's report ommending that 200 feet of pipe furnished for a sewer on the E road from Metcalf street east, adopted.

The contract for the constructio a sewer on Shawnee road and McKibben street, was awarded to L. Crossen, his bid of $1,284.85 b the lowest.

Contract for Franklin street Madison avenue sewers was aw to George Glaize at $493.

Contract for sewers on Second from St. Johns avenue to Hig street was awarded to George at $260.27.

Contract for sewer on South street from Elm street south awarded to George Glaize at $48

UNION STREET TUNNEL.

The bids on the improvement Union street tunnel were read Clerk. The bid of George B. of $474.75 was the lowest and quently the contract was knoc to him.

CHERRY ALLEY.

The Engineer's estimate on of the grading and stoning of alley was read. The estimat will reach $490. The report ceived and adopted and the was instructed to prepare the sary papers for the improve said alley.

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